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(1) 18,63

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, B, Franklin

Monday May 4th

commences with Strong winds from, S W,
at, 10, A M, took the anchor to work down
the bay at, 11, 30, A M, came on thick fog
came to Anchor of, Clarks Point the
captain and Pilot went on shore
So ends this day

Tuesday May, 5th.

thick and rainey middle part the same
at 3, A M, wind from, N E, at 7, A M
the Pilot and captain came on board
got underweigh and stood down the
bay at, 10, A M the Pilot left ends with
strong winds and overcast

Clarks,, Point

Wednesday May, 6th

begins with gale from N E, bark on
E tack at, 4, P M, wore ship under reefs
topsails, middle and latter parts on different
tacks under close reefs topsails at, 11, 30, A M
took in foretopsail and set main staysail

Thursday May, 7th

begins and ends with a gale from
N E, and rainey bark on different tacks
lying under close reef maintopsail and
and staysail, So ends this day

Friday May, 8th

first part Mordrate gale from, N E, and thick
at, 4, P M, shifted to the, N, with rain bark
under close reef maintopsail and staysail,
steering, E, S E, middle and latter parts
much the same with the foresail, jib and
reef foretopsail set ends thick and
rainey Leaking, 500, Strokes

Of, Newbedford, Capt, S, T^{ay}, Braley

Satterday May, 9, th

Strong wind, from N, and thick Steering, S E, by, E, under short sail middle parts the same steering S E, latter part wind hauled to, N W, and mordrate turned the reef out main topsail end, thick all sail set

Sunday May, 10, th

begins with thick squally weather from N E, took in light sail, middle part strong winds from, N W, closereef topsail, and took in Jib end, the same with thick weather saw a large ship steering E,

Monday May, 11, th

begins with strong wind, from, N W, and a heavy swell steering, E, S E, with close reef topsails middle and latter parts mordrate, E, S E, with al sail set saw a steamship steering, E,

Lat, 37, 37, N, Long, 60, 51. W

Tuesday May, 12, th

begins fine pleasant weather from S W, steering E, with all sail set

Lat, 38, 12 N, Long,, 60, 51, W

Wednesday May, 13, th

this, 24, hours begins with strong wind, from, S W, steering, E, by, S, with all sail set middle and latter parts much the same employed fitting boats

so ends this day Leaking, 5 00.

Lat, 37, 43 N, Long 57,, 43, W

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Remarks, on Board, Bark, B, Franklin,

Thursday May, 14th

this day begins with strong winds and clear Steering, E, by, S, middle and latter part, light winds from, W, and clear employed in Ships duty Leaking, 500, Strokes

Lat, 37. 54, N, Long, 55. 45, W

Friday May, 15, th

begins with light winds from the, W, and clear Steering, E, S, E, employed in ships duty Middle and latter parts much the same all sail set Leaking 500

Lat, 38. 30, N, Long 52. 57. W

Satterday May, 16. th

Strong winds from, S W, and clear steering E, by, S, with all sail set employed in Ships duty saw finbacks middle and latter part strong winds from, S S, E, and overcast Steering E, by, S, all sail set

Lat, 37. 00, Long, 48. 36, W

Sunday May, 17, th

begins with Strong winds from, S S, E and overcast Steering, E, by, S, with all sail set saw finbacks middle and latter parts the same Leaking, 500

Lat, 37, 15, N, Long,, 45, 05, W

Monday May, 18, th

begins with Moderate winds from, S, steering E, by, S, at, 7, P.M. hauled to. N, all sail set Struck a Porpois lost him Middle part wind E, N, E, latter part the same saw Blackfish Struck, 3, got two ends clearing away the fish saw plenty finbacks

Lat, 38, 28, N, Long,, 43, 28,, W

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, Ben, Franklin, of

Tuesday May, 19th

begins with fine weather wind E.S.E. bark on, N, tack with all sail set middle and latter part, light winds and calm Bark on, E, tack employed in ships duty

Lat,, Long,,

Wednesday May, 20th

begins calm at 4, P.M. light airs from E,N.E, Bark on E. tack two sails in sight middle and latter part calm employ, Boiling Blackfish Leaking, 500,

Lat, 38,, 36,, N, Long,, 42,,01,, W,

Thursday May, 21th

begins calm employed in ships duty saw blackfish middle part light air from, S W, steering, E, by N, end, strong winds and overcast saw spouts but could not make them out Leak, 500,

Friday May, 22d

commences with strong winds from, S W, steering, E, middle and latter part, the same saw humpbacks took in light sails and reef topsail, one sail in sight

Lat, 40, 15, N, Long,, 37,26, W

Satterday May, 23d,

begins, strong winds from, N, steering E, by, S, set maintopgallant sail saw humpb middle part much the same at, 2, A M, to the W, and freshend latter parts strong winds from, S S, W, and squally took in light sails at, 11, A M, wor ship to W, and took in fore topsail ends, lying to on W tack Leak ,25,40,

(5) [illegible] 18.63

Newbedford, Cap, N, T. Braley, Master

Sunday May 24th
this day begins with a gale from, S S, W
laying to on W tack at 3, P.M. more more
gale wore Ship and steered, E, close reef, M
topsail and staysail, at 6.30. P.M. making
bad weather lufted to heading S E, middle
part the same latter part more moderate
set the courses two reef in topsails jib
and Spanker steering, E, our Leak is
23,40, Strokes in 24. hours in bad weather
one sail in sight, so ends this day
Lat 41. 35. N. Long, 34.01. W

Monday May 25th
this day begins with moderate gale
from, S S W, and heavy sea steering, E,
with two reefs in topsails middle part
moderate shook out the reef set main
topgallant sail and flying jib steering
E S E, ends the same with thick weather

Tuesday May 26th
begins with strong wind and thick
from, S S W, steering, E S E, at 3 P.M.
took in flying jib and Main topgallant
sail employed in Ships duty carried
away maintopmast crostreas setting up
rigging middle and latter part thick
fog steering, S E by E. wind, S S W

Wednesday May 27th
begins light winds from, S S W, and
foggy steering by the wind on E tack caught
a porpois middle and latter part light
wind and thick fog steering by the
wind heading S E by E Leaking
the same as usual picked up a
Kegg of Butter

Remarks On Board Bark Ben Franklin

Thursday May 28th

begins with light winds from S.S.W. and thick fog steering by the wind to the E. saw finbacks middle and latter parts much the same employed in ships duty saw finback and one sail

Lat. 41.34 N. Long. 19.21 W

Friday May 29th

this 24 hours light winds from S.S.W. and clear bark on E. tack saw finback and sail middle and latter parts much the same employed fitting cutting gear

Lat. 42.00 N. Long. 20.23 W

Satterday May 30th

this 24 hours begins with light airs from S.S.W. bark on different tacks employed in ships duty middle and latter parts light winds from E.N.E. Bark on S. tack employed in ships duty nothing to be seen

Lat. 41.08 N. Long. 19.56 W

Sunday May 31st

begins with light winds from the E. and clear bark on S. tack nothing in sight middle and latter parts much the same saw finback.

Lat. 39.45 N. Long. 19.10 W

Monday June 1st

moderate winds from N. and clear steering S.E. with all sail set caught two Porpoises middle and latter parts the same saw Porpoises and finbacks and one sail employed fitting boat rigging and Geary

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of New bedford, Capt,, D,, J,, Braley,, Master

Tuesday June 2d

begins with strong wind from N.N.E. and overcast steering S.E., employed fitting rigging two sail in sight middle and latter parts Much the same saw finbacks and Porpois steering S.E. employed fitting rigging

Wednesday June 3d

Strong wind from N.N.E. and overcast with squalls of rain steering S.E. saw several sails middle and latter parts the same employed fitting rigging to ends

Lat,36,34, N. Long,10,25, W

Thursday June 4th

this day moderate wind from N.E. and overcast steering S.E. at 7 P.M. took in light sail middle part strong wind and overcast employed in ships duty

Lat,35,35, N. Long,9,20, W

Friday June 5th

Strong wind from N. steering E. by N. light sail in at 8 P.M. took in mainsail middle and latter parts light airs and fine steering E.S.E. all sail set.

Lat,35,34, N. Long 7,26

Satterday June 6th

light wind and fine steering E.S.E. at 5 P.M. spoke Bark President of New Bedford took in sail on the cruising gro middle and latter parts the same Bark on diferent tacks saw finbacks and grampusses

Lat,35,28, N. Long,,7,00,, W

Remarks, on, Board, Bark. B. Franklin

Sunday June 7th

light wind, and fine Bark on diferent tacks, saw finbacks Blackfish and porpois Spoke Bark Wave. 6. months out, 1. 80 Sperm middle and latter parts much the same Bark on different tacks

Lat. 35.18. N. Long. 7. 10. W

Monday June 8th

light winds and fine Bark on diferent tacks, at 7. P.M. took in light sails, middle part strong winds put two reefs in topsail latter part moderate Bark on different tacks saw nothing

Lat. 35.24. N. Long. 6.52. W

Tuesday June 9th

begins with strong winds and overcast cruising nothing to bee seen middle and latter parts much the same several sails in sight

Lat

Wednesday June, 10th

Strong winds and overcast Bark on W. tack middle and latter parts much the same Bark on different tacks nothing in sight

Lat. 35.55. W. Long. 7.20,

Thursday June. 11th

Strong winds from N. and rainey nothing to bee seen middle and latter parts much the same saw nothing employed in ships duty

Lat 35.25. N. Long. 7.36 W

(9) P.D. 1863

Of, Newbedford, Capt, W. T. Braley, master

Friday June 12th

this 24 hours begins with strong wind
from N W and clear saw finback,
and porpoises middle and latter parts,
much the same at 5 AM saw the land
bearing, E by N, distant 20 miles tack
to W at 8 saw Sperm Whales lowered
and got three

Whales

Satturday June 13th

Strong winds and fine cut in the
Whales and set the watch on W tack
middle and latter parts the same employed
cutting Bluber no Observations

Sunday June 14th

begins fine and pleasant Bark on E tack
at 3 PM started the works middle and
latter parts much the same Strong winds
from E and heavy sea Boiling
Lat 35,32 N Long 7,33 W

Monday June 15th

Strong winds and fine with heavy sea
Bark on E tack Boiling saw several
Sail at 7 PM finished Boiling middle and
latter parts much the same employed
breaking out provisions
Lat 35,20 N Long 6,59 W

Tuesday June 16th

beging with fine weather employed stowing
down oil at 6 PM finished stowing
middle and latter parts Bark on different
tacks Spoke Bark President
Lat 35,28 N Long 7,15 W

Remark, On, Board, Bark, B. Franklin

William P. Wells

Wednesday June, 17th
begins with strong winds and overcast
Bark on diferent tacks, at 8, P.M. while
reefing topsails one man fell from
foretopsail yard and bruised him severly
middle part light and fine ends the same
land in sight distant 30, miles
Lat 35. 44. N Long. 7. 07. W

Thursday June, 18th
Strong wind and overcast Bark on
different tacks, saw the President whaling
the sick man some better middle and
latter parts the same nothing in sight
but ships the sick man better
Lat 35. 55. N Long. 7. 26. W

Friday June 19th
this 24 hours begins with strong winds
from N.W. bark on diferent tacks
employed in ships duty middle and
latter parts much the same saw
finbacks, Wells gaining
Lat 35. 45. N Long. 6. 43. W

Satterday June, 20th
begins with strong winds and fine
land in sight Bark on different
tacks middle and latter parts the
same employed in ships duty
Lat 35. 20. N Long. 7. 17. W

Sunday June, 21st
Strong winds and fine Bark on diferent
tacks two sail in sight middle and
latter parts much the same nothing
in sight but finbacks
Lat 35. 22. N Long. 7. 04. W

(11) (D.1.63

of New bedford, Y, A. Braley, Master

Monday June, 22,

this 24, hours begins with a gale from S, W and heavy sea Bark on different tacks under short sail the sick man gaining middle and latter parts calm nothing in sight one man taken carey

— La. 35, 15, N — Long, 6, 34, W

Tuesday June, 23,

begins with light winds from N, E, bark on different tacks land in sight bearing E, distant, 18, miles saw Porpoises middle and latter parts much the same nothing in sight but sails the sick men some better

— Lat 35, 30, N — Long, 6, 55, W

Wednesday June, 24, th

begins light airs and calms but heavy sea running nothing in sight but sails middle and latter parts much the same employed in ships duty so ends

Lat 35, 25, N — Long, 7, 36, W

Thursday June, 25, th

begins light winds and fine saw porpoises and several sails middle and latter parts calm and foggy at 5, A. M. saw Sperm Whales lowered Larboard Boat struck one and got stove and lost the Whale thick fog so ends the sick men some better

La 35, 30, N, — Long, 6, 55, W

Friday June, 26, th

begins calm and foggy at 3, P. M. got the stoven Boat to the ship and commenced to mend her light airs and overcast middle and latter parts the same,

La 35, 20, N, Long, 6, 48

(Spreeing [illegible] taking land [illegible]

Sperm Whales

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, B, Franklin

Satturday June .27 th

light airs and calm finished boat at 4, P.M, Spoke Bark president and got a spar for topgallant yard Middle and latter parts calm with thunder and lightning and squalls, So ends,

Sunday June .28, th

this, 24, hours calm with thunder land in sight and porpoises Middle and latter parts calm and light airs

Lat 35.40. N, Long,, 6. 58. W

Monday June 29 th

this, 24, hours begins light airs and fine bark steering different coarses land in sight the man that fell from aloft was helped on deck to day Middle and latter parts Much the same saw porpoises

Lat 35.30. N. Long,, 7. 06. W

Tuesday June .30, th

this, 24, hours fresh winds and clear bark on different tacks several sails in sight employed making topgallant yard middle and latter parts light winds and over cast Nothing in sight

Lat 35.30, N. Long. 7.18. W.

Wednesday July 1 st

begins strong winds from S E, and overcast cruising and saw nothing Middle and latter parts moderate and overcast Bark on different tack nothing in sight employed breaking out provisions

Lat 35,30, N Long 7.08. W

[13] A.D. 1863

of, New, bedford, Capt, S, H, Breley, Master

Thursday July 2d

this day begin with strong winds from E and heavy sea nothing in sight but sail, Middle and latter part, light wind and rugged and foggy

Lat, 35,12, N Long, 6. 37. W

Friday July 3d

moderate winds and fine Bark on different tack, land in sight saw porpoises Middle and latter part, calm, and foggy

Lat, 35. 20, N Long, 6. 30. W

Satterday July 4th

begins with slight winds from the N, and fine land in sight at 4. P.M. tack of shore at 5 P.M. saw Sperm Whales lowered the boats and got one took him along side and set the watch middle and latter part, strong winds and fine cut in the whale and stood to, E.

Lat, 35. 12. N. Long 6. 37. W

Sperm Whales Sperm Whale

Sunday July 5th

light winds and fine at 2, P.M. rose Sp whales, lowered the boats, struck and got two took them along side and set the watch calm the land 20, miles distant two men on sick list Middle and latter part, calm employed cutting at 10. A.M. started the Works,

Monday July 6th

begins light airs and fine Bark on different tack, middle, and latter part, the same Boiling saw porpoises

Remark, On, Board, Bark, B. Franklin

Tuesday July 7th
begins light winds and fine saw porpoises employed Boiling middle and latter parts calm at 10 P.M. finished boiling one sail in sight
Lat 35.12, N. Long. 6.30, W

Wednesday July 8th
begins fine winds and weather bark on different tacks with all sail set employ coopering oil at sunset took in sail Middle and latter part the same employd Stoing oil

Thursday July 9th
fine winds and clear bark on different tacks stoing oil at 5 P.M. finished and took in sail middle parts the same latter part light winds and fine saw a ship whaling folowing them withe the ship so ends land in sight
Lat 35,29 N.

Sperm Whales

Friday July 10th
light winds and fine bark following the whales lowerd the boats struck and got one at 5 took him along side and took in sail middle and latter parts calm cut in the whale and sent down the tackels two steamers in sight
Lat 35,00 N.

Satterday July 11th
begins with mordrate winds and fine land in sight distant 15 miles at 6 P.M. Boiling middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight

D. 1863

of New Bedford, S. T. Braley, Master

Sunday July, 12,

light winds and overcast Bark on different tacks, two sails in sight at 6. Bbls finished boiling Middle and latter parts foggy

Monday July, 13,

begins thick fog at 4. clear and light winds, bark on different tacks with all sail set at sunset took in sail the man that fell has bin on deck to day middle parts calm latter part mordrate winds and fine employed stoing oil

Lat 35. 22. Long

Tuesday July 14,

begins fine and pleasant Bark on different tacks stoing oil at 7. finished stoing Middle and latter parts light winds and fine cruising two barks in sight

Wednesday July, 15,

light winds and smoky bark on different tacks spoke President and Wave Middle and latter parts calm employed in ships duty

Lat 35. 32. S. Long 6. 22. W,

Thursday July, 16,

begins mordrate winds and fine bark on different tacks nothing in sight but ships Middle and latter parts much the same bent flying Jib on the Foretopgallant stay and put the chain cables in the After hole to trim ship so ends

Lat 35. 00. S. Long, 6. 35. W,

Friday July, 17,

fresh winds and clear cruising middle and latter parts calm saw porpoises

Lat 34. 52. S. Long. 6. 42. W

Remarks On Board Bark Ben Franklin

Satterday July 18th
begins with fresh wind and clear
cruising land in sight 22 miles distant
middle and latter parts light airs and
calm saw porpoises and two sails
Lat 34.54 N Long 6.38 W

Sunday July 19
begins with light winds from NW and
clear Bark on different tacks saw porpoises
middle part light winds latter parts
calm nothing in sight
Lat Long

Monday July 20th
light airs and fine saw 2 Sperm Whales
Struck and got them both saw the
President whaling middle and latter
parts calm employed getting ready for
cutting at 11 A M finished one saw
the President cutting

Sperm Whales

Tuesday July 21
light winds and fine cut in the other
whale at 6 P M finished and started
the works Middle and latter parts
the same Boiling

Wednesday July 22
begins light winds and fine Bark on diferen
tacks Boiling saw porpoises Middle and
latter parts the same Boiling

Thursday July 23
begins light winds and calm Bark
on different tacks seen nothing
middle and latter strong winds at
10 A M finished boiling
Lat 34.23 N Long 6.38 W

A.D. 1863

of New Bedford, Captain, W.T. Braley. Master

Friday July 24th

Strong winds and fine employed in coopering oil. Bark on different tacks middle and latter parts light winds and calm employed stowing oil.

Lat 35,30, N. Long, 6,39, W

Satterday July 25th

begins strong winds and fine Bark on different tacks employ stowing oil two sail in sight middle and latter parts calm

Lat, 34,40, N. Long, 6,45, W

Sunday July 26th

begins light winds and overcast bark on different tacks land in sight middle and latter parts calm one sail in sight

Monday July 27th

begins with light winds bark on different tacks spoke Bark President middle and latter parts strong winds and clear cruising two sails in sight

Lat 34,40, N, Long, 6,56, W

Tuesday July 28th

begins with strong winds cruising two sails in sight middle and latter parts the same Bark on different tack

Lat, 34,52, N Long, 6,44, W

Wednesday July 29th

light winds and fine with heavy sea spoke President and Race middle and latter wind light at 5, A.M, land in sight distant 20, Miles ends steering all ways looking for a whale but could not find one

Lat, 35, 04, N Long

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, Ben,, Franklin

Thursday July, 30, th

begins Strong winds and fine cruising
saw porpoises middle light winds latter
parts calm saw nothing

Lat Long

Friday July, 31, st

begins with light winds and fine cruising
middle and latter parts the same land
in sight and porpoises so ends this
day and Month the two Invaleads
gain very sloly

Satterday August, 1. st

begins with moderate winds and fine
cruising caught a porpois middle
and latter parts much the same

Lat

Sunday August, 2, d

begins with strong winds and clear cruising
spoke Bark President middle and latter
parts the same nothing in sight

Lat

Monday August, 3, d

Strong winds and fine two sail in
sight middle and latter parts the same

Lat 35 25, N,

Tuesday August, 4, th

Strong winds and fine Bark on different
tacks saw finbacks and land middle
and latter parts strong winds and
fine Steering S, S W, land in sight

Lat 35 10, N. Long, 6, 41 W.

[19] A.D. 1863

Of New Bedford Capt. J. T. Braley Master

Wednesday August 5th
begins Nordral winds and fine Steering to S at 6 took in sail and luffed to middle parts the same latter steering to S W
Lat 34,34 N Long 6.57 W

Thursday August 6th
begins strong winds and clear saw large Breach did not make it out middle and latter parts light winds and fine cruising
Lat 34.18 N Long 7.02 W

Friday August 7th
begins with strong winds and fine land in sight middle and latter parts light winds cruising saw Porpoises
Lat 34.30 N Long 7.22 W

Satturday August 8th
begins with strong winds and overcast Bark on different tacks middle part the same latter parts light winds and calm one sail in sight
Lat 34.42 N Long 7.06 W

Sunday August 9th
begins light winds and thick horison two sails in sight middle and latter parts strong winds and ragged thick weather
Lat

Monday August 10th
begins strong winds and thick one reef in the Topsail middle part the same latter part calm and foggy
Lat 34.55 N Long 6.32 W

Remarks, On, Board,, Bark,, B, Franklin

Tuesday August 11th

begins with strong winds and thick bark on different tacks land in sight Middle part the same latter part light winds and hazy, bark on different tacks

Lat 35.20. N Long 6.46. W

Wednesday August 12th

begins with strong wind and thick several sails in sight middle part the same latter part light airs steering to S. land in sight

Lat Long

Thursday August 13th

begins light airs and fine two sails in sight Middle and latter parts much the same the sick men about the same

La. 35.20. N Long. 6.46. W

Friday August 14th

begins with light airs and fine saw a bark Boiling Middle and latter parts the same cruising

Lat 35.10. N Long. 6 33. W

Satterday August 15th

begins with light winds and fine several sail in sight Middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight

Sunday August 16th

This day begins with light winds and foggy Bark on different tacks middle and latter parts much the same ends strong winds and overcast

[21] E.D. 15.63

of New bedford, P.J. Braley, Master

Monday August, 17th
begins with Strong winds and
rugged with thick weather middle
part the same latter part mordrate
nothing to be seen
Lat 35.12 N Long 7.02 W

Tuesday August 18th
begins with strong winds and fine cruising
middle and latter parts mordrate employed
in ships duty
Lat 34.58 N Long 7.22 W

Wednesday August 19th
begins light airs and fine Two sails in
sight spoke Bark President and Wave
middle part calm latter part light breezes
and hazy nothing in sight
Lat 34.56 N Long 6.41 W

Thursday August, 20th
Strong winds and hazy Bark on different
tacks Middle and latter parts Much
the same
Lat 35.14 N Long 6.38 W

Friday August 21st
strong winds and hazy Bark on
different tacks middle and latter
parts much the same
Lat 35.03 N Long 7.00 W

Satturday August 22d
begins mordrate winds and hazy
nothing in sight middle and latter
parts much the same nothing in sight
the sick men about the same
Lat 34.50 N Long 6.42 W

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, Benm, Franklin

Sunday August ,23.d

begins with strong winds and hazy
bark on different tacks nothing in sight
middle and latter parts light winds and
calm our bark continues the same

Lat 35.33. N. Long.7.04. W.

Monday August ,24th

begins mordrate wind and hazy Bark
on different tacks middle and latter parts
the same with some foggy

Lat 35.00. N Long..6.49.. W.

Tuesday August .25th

Sperm Whales

this 24, hours begins with Modrate
wind and hazy spoke President set
half watches and steered W. middle and
and latter parts much the same at 3 P.M
saw the President whaling lowered two boats
and got two took them along side and
got ready for cutting so ends

Wednesday August ,26th

Strong winds and rugged at 7. P.M finished
cutting and set boats crew watches middle
part the same latter part more mordrate
employed cutting bluber Bark on different
tacks nothing in sight

Lat 34,40. N. Long 8.13. W.

Thursday August, 27th

begins mordrate winds from W. and
fine finished cutting Bluber and Started
the tryworks middle and latter parts
Strong winds and squally with
rain at 7. A.M. put out the fires
on account of rain so ends,

Lat 35.37. N. Long.. 8. 50. W.

[23] A.D. 1863

of New bedford" Capt, J. T. Braley, Master

Friday August 28th

this 24 hours begins with mordrate wind and fine from W, Bark headding to the N, Boiling Middle and latter parts squalley with rain so ends

Lat 36,16 N Long 8,15 W

Satterday August 29th

begins with mordrate winds and fine bark on different tacks at 5 P.M. finished boiling Middle and latter parts mordrate winds from N.W. bark on W tack all sail set one sail in sight

Lat 35.40 N Long 9.06 W

Sunday August 30th

begins light airs and calm headding to W nothing in sight middle and latter parts mordrate wind and clear headding to W one Steamer in sight

Lat 35.53 N Long 11.05 W

Monday August 31st

this 24 hours begins mordrate breeze from N, Bark on W tack two men on the sick list yet Middle part the same latter part fresh breeze from N.E. and heavy sea steering N.W. light sails in

Lat 36.33 N Long 13,25 W

Tuesday September 1st

begins with fresh breeze from N.E. steering N.W. light sails in Middle and latter parts much the same ends strong winds and squalley pumping every 4 hours

Lat 37,33 N Long 16,20 W

Remarks, On Board, Bark, B. Franklin, of.

Wednesday September 2.
begins with strong winds, and squalls from N.E. steering, N.W. by W. saw porpoise Middle and latter parts much the same
Lat 37.31 N. — Long. 19.15 W

Thursday September 3d
this 24 hours begins strong winds and squally from N.E. Bark on W. tack light sails in Middle and latter parts the same
Lat 37.04 N. Long 21.10 W

Friday September 4th
begins with strong winds from N.E. bark on W tack light sails in one reef in fore topsail Middle and latter parts more moderate steering N.W. all sail set
Lat 38.4 N Long 23.15 W

Satterday September 5th
this 24 hours begins with light winds from N.E. steering N.W. all sail set middle and latter parts the same
Lat 38.15 N Long 24.55 W

Sunday September 6th
this 24 hours begins calm the Island of St Michael bearing S.S.W. distant 30 miles at 4 P.M. light from E.N.E. bark on W tack saw Grampuses middle and latter parts much the same the Island of Tercera in sight at 10 A.M. saw 3 large Sperm Whales lowered and struck one he sounded and took nearly two lines but wood not let a boat come near him ends three Boats trying to get the whale

Sperm Whales

A.D. 1863

Newbedford, Capt, S, H, Braley Master

Monday September 7th

begins with light winds and fine one boat
Still fast to the whale and the other two
steering at 5 P.M. the Iron brake and the
whale went of without even one lance came
on board and took up the boats middle
and latter parts much the same ends calm
Tercera bearing N. 12 miles distant

Tuesday September 8th

this 24 hours begins calm at 2 P.M. light
airs from E. steering N.E. N.W. middle and
latter parts calm the island 10 miles
of so ends this day

Wednesday September 9th

begins with light breezes from N.E. Bark
on N. tack the Island of St. George in
sight saw grampuses middle and latter
parts calm the land 20 miles distant

Thursday September 10th

begins calm plenty of Grampusses in sight
middle part light winds steering W. by N. latter
part calm Fayal in sight
Lat 38.55 N. Long 28.00 W

Friday September 11th

begins calm Fayal in sight West point of St
George bearing N.S.W. distant 12 miles middle
and latter parts calm

Satterday September 12th

begins mardrate winds and fine steering
for Fayal at 5 P.M. the captain went on
shore for a Pilot at 7 Put Boats ahead
to tow at 9 Anchored in 15 fathoms
45 fathoms chain middle and latter

Remarks on Board Bark Ben Franklin

parts much the same employed discharging oil so ends this day

Sunday September 13th
begins calm and clear employed discharging oil four men belonging here got leave till monday morning middle and latter parts light winds Starboard watch on shore

Monday September 14th
begins with light winds and fine starboard watch on shore middle and latter parts the same the men all came of but one Bill Abrams employed dischargeing oil finished and stowed back the hole hired 4 men from shore

Tuesday September 15th
begins light winds and fine employed in ships duty sent the two sick men on shore middle and latter parts the same Discharging

Wednesday September 16th
begins light winds and fine finished dischargeing oil Larboard watch on shore the steward sent to the hospital with the veneral Middle and latter parts the same William Wells Derested got some onions and pumpkins from shore

Thursday September 17th
begins with fine winds and weather the fayal men on shore middle and latter parts the same two spaniards absent 48 hours
Deserted

Friday September 18th
begins light winds and fine took maintopsail up on shore and got it mended two men shiped and came on board middle and latter parts rainey the fayal folks came on board

Fayal
6,, 195,, Gallons Sperm Oil sent home from Bark B Franklin

A.D. 1863

of New Bedford, Capt. J. S. Braley Master

Saturday September 19th

begins strong winds and squally put the bower anchor on the bought and lashed it Middle and latter parts much the same at 9. A.M. the captain came on board took the anchor and went on shore again ends lying off and on strong winds

Sunday September 20th

This day begins strong winds and overcast lying off and on Fayal at 3 P.M. captain came on board and steered out to the South of Pico leaving three men discharged and four runaway at sunset saw the President and got 6 men from her that she had picked up Middle and latter parts working to windward bound to St Georges for Potatoes ends strong winds and clear

Monday September 21st

begins with strong winds and fine bark working to windward with all sail set Middle and latter parts light winds and overcast cruising round St Michaels for potatoes could not find any

Tuesday September 22nd

begins light winds and fine could not find any Potatoes and so started for Flores steering at P.M. middle part the same latter part strong winds and overcast

Wednesday September 23

begins strong winds and overcast land in sight at 7. P.M. took in sail being up with the land Middle part the same latter part strong winds looking for a landing but found none so ends

Bought a New Mast Head Glass

Sold,, 34,, Gallons,, Blackfish oil,, for,, 70,, cents

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark,, Benj,, Franklin

Thursday September, 24th

begins Strong winds and overcast working round the island the captain landed on S.E. Side in company with capt gifford sent the boats on board middle part Strong winds and squally split the jib and bent the new one ends laying off and on under reef topsails mainsail furled

Friday September, 25th

this day begins with strong winds and fine at 4. Pm the Potatoes came on board 50 bushel at 5 the captain came of and steered, S.E. middle and latter parts Much the same at 10. A.M. saw the Island of Fayal

Satterday September 26th

begins light winds from E. and calm lay the wind on, E. tack at sunset took in sail and set Boats crews watches Middle and latter parts Much the same cruising fayal in sight

Sunday September, 27th

begins Strong winds and overcast from the S. Bark on different tacks employed repairing jib middle and latter parts much the same Bark heading to, S.E.

Monday September 28th

this, 24, hours begins with light easterly winds and overcast bark on N. tack saw grampuses Middle and latter parts Much the same employed Repairing the old mainsail the island of Terceira in sight

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of, New bedford,, Capt,, T,, J,, Braley, Master

Tuesday September, 29th

this day begins with light winds and fine from, SE, bark on E, tack finished Mainsail John Dolan off duty sick Middle and latter parts Much the same the wind from the, N, cruising

Wednesday September, 30th

this day begins with strong winds Steering to, E, Saw grampus and one sail bent new Gafftopsail Middle and latter parts much the same Treecra bearing N distant 30, miles employed fitting a new boat for the Waist crains

Thursday October, 1st

begins fine at, 6, took in the old Boat and put out the new Middle and latter parts Much the same saw two english merchantmen headding to the S, land, 30, miles bearing W, by, S,

Friday October, 2d

begins light winds and fine Bark on different tacks employed repairing Boat Middle and latter parts calm employed Painting Waist Boat

Satterday October, 3d

begins calm and clear unbent Mainsail and jib and bent the old ones Middle parts Much the same latter part light winds from SW, and overcast land bearing W, distant 30, miles

Sunday October, 4th

begins light winds and fine employed in Ships duty Middle and latter parts calm with squalls of rain

Remarks On Board Bark Benj. Franklin

Monday October the 5th
begins light winds from S.W. Bark on S. tack land in sight Middle and latter parts Strong winds and Squalley from S.E.

Tuesday October the 6th
this day begins with strong winds and Tercera bearing N.b.W. distant 15 miles bark heading of Shore Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks

Wednesday October 7th
begins strong winds and overcast took in Starboard Boat to repair and Paint Bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts much the Same

Thursday October 8th
this day begins with strong winds and Squalley with rain employed repairing boat Middle and latter parts much the same Tercera bearing S.b.W. distant 35 miles

Friday October 9th
begins with Strong winds and overcast bark on different tacks Painted Larboard Boat Middle and latter parts the same ends steering in for the land

Satterday October 10th
begins with mordrate gale from S.W. steering for Fayal with close-reef topsail, at 6 PM under the lea of Pico Middle part calm and Squalley latter part moderate winds Steering for Fayal so ends

of Newbedford, S. T. Braley, Master

Sunday October 11th

this day begins strong winds steering for Fayal at 2, P.M. the captain went on shore at 5, came on board and stood out the southern passage Middle and latter parts steering N.W. E with all sail set

Lat 36,30. N. Long, 25. 06.

Monday October 12th

this 24 hours begins with strong winds from W. steering S. with all drawing sail set one sail in sight to W. middle and latter parts much the same

Lat 33,36, N. Long, 24,32. W.

Tuesday October 13th

begins with strong W. winds and overcast steering S. with all prudent sail set middle and latter parts squalley with much rain

Lat 31.00 N. Long 23.17 W.

Wednesday October 14th

this day begins mordrate winds from N. steering S. with all sail set at 6 P.M. hauled up S.E. by S. middle and latter parts the same

Lat 28,23. N. Long, 21,2. W.

Thursday October 15th

begins with strong winds from N.E. steering S.E. by S. employed making main topgallant mast middle and latter parts the same

Lat 27.00 N. Long 18,55. W.

Friday October 16th

begins with strong N.E. winds and overcast steering S.E. by S. finished topgallant mast middle and latter parts much the same

Lat 25.38 N. Long 18.09. W.

Remarks On Board Bark Ben Franklin

Satterday October 17th

this day begins with strong N.E. winds and overcast steering S. with all sail set saw finback middle and latter parts Moderate gale light sails in

La 23.20 N Long 17.53 W

Boat Steerers Lost Mast Head Glass

Sunday October 18th

begins with strong N.E. winds and overcast bound south with all prudent sail set middle and latter parts Much the same

La 18.30 N Long 18.13 W

Monday October 19th

Strong winds and overcast steering S.W. saw blackfish got three cleared them away and set the watch middle and latter parts Much the same

Lat 18.20 N Long 18.26 W

Tuesday October 20th

this day begins light winds from N.E. steering to S.W. employed boiling blackfish middle and latter parts Much the same

La 16.55 N Long 18.19 W

Wednesday October 21st

begins with light winds from N steering S by W employed repairing Foresail finis and bent it middle part light winds from the W latter part calm

Lat 16.10 N Long 17.43 W

Thursday October 22d

begins calm repairing spanker Middle and latter parts light winds from N steering S

La 14.40 N Long 17.52 W

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of New Bedford, N. T. Braley, Master

Friday October 23,

this day begins with light winds from N E steering S and S W by S at sunset cape Blanco bearing E distant 18 Miles Middle and latter parts Much the same

Lat 13.40 N Long 17.46 W

Satterday October 24,

begins light airs and fine steering S S W saw Blackfish lowered without Success Middle and latter parts the same saw a steamer steering to N so ends this day

Lat 12.37 N Long 17.31 W

Sunday October 25th

this day light winds and fine steering S S W saw porpoises Middle and latter parts light winds and calm

Lat 12.12 N Long 17.38 W

Monday October 26th

begins calm saw finbacks Middle and latter parts Much the same so ends employed in ships duty

Lat 11.50 N Long 17.48 W

Tuesday October 27th

this day begins calm and clear employed in ships duty Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 11.42 N Long 17.40 W

Wednesday October 28th

begins with light airs from the N steering S at 7 P.M. wind light from E Middle and latter parts Much the same

Lat 10.52 N Long 17.31 W

Remarks, On, Board, Bark, P, Franklin

Thursday October, 29. th

this day begins with light winds from N. and squalley from S.E. with rain Middle and latter parts the same plenty of rain so ends this day

Lat. 10,22. N. — Long. 17, 00 W

Friday October, 30. th

this day begins moderate winds from N and squalley with rain Middle and latter parts calm with rain so ends

— Lat. 9. 38. N. — Long. 16. 33. W

Satterday October, 31. st

this 24 hours begins calm and overcast middle and latter parts the same

— Lat. 9.44. N. — Long. 16. 54. W

Sunday November 1. st

begins with light airs from E. and overcast one sail in sight middle and latter parts calm and strong N.W. current so ends this day

— Lat. 9. 47. N. — Long. 16. 35. W

Monday November, 2. d

this day begin with light winds from N. Bark on E tack middle part light winds and calm latter part strong winds and heavy squalls from S.E.

— Lat. 10,00. N. Long. 16.12. W

Tuesday November, 3. d

begins with strong winds from S.E. and overcast Bark on E tack middle part squalley latter part calm

Lat. 10,25. N. — Long. 16.00. W

of New bedford,, Capt, S, T, Braley maste

Wednesday November 4.th
this day begins calm employed making Mizen topmast staysail middle and latter parts light airs from N W, saw a Steam Frigate Steering to S E
Lat,, 10,10 N. Long,, 15,, 48. W

Thursday November 5,th
light airs from N W Steering to S E with all sail set middle and latter parts continues the same
Lat,, 9,36,, N Long,, 15,, 9. W

Friday November 6.th
this, 24. hours begins fine and pleasant and light airs from N W, steering, S E, all sail set middle and latter parts continu the same employed in ships duty
Lat Long

Satterday November 7.th
light variable winds and fine Steering to S E, employed in ships duty middle and latter parts much the same at 8 the Island, of Delos, bearing, E by S, distant 25, miles end, steering for the land

Sunday November 8,th
begins, light airs at 2, P.M. calm came to anchor at, 5, took the Anchor and worked in to the anchorage and found the President middle and latter parts the same looking out a good place to cut wood

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark,, B. Franklin

Monday November 9th
fine and pleasant weather Middle and latter parts the same employed Breaking out and setting up Shook for watter and cutting wood ends the same with some rain

Tuesday November 10th
fine and clear employed in ships duty Middle and latter parts the same

Wednesday November 11th
fine and clear employed cutting wood middle part the same

Pelos Island

Thursday November 12
begins calm and clear filling watter and cutting wood ends the same

Friday November 13th
begins fine and pleasant employed stoping the Leak stoing Watter and Boatting wood Middle and latter parts the same

Satterday November 14
this day begins with fine weather employed getting wood and watter ends the same and stoing off the hole

Sunday November 15th
commences fine and clear employed stoing wood and watter ends the sam

Monday November 16th
fine and clear ends the same finished wood and watter

of New bedford, capt, S. T. Braley, master

Tuesday November 17th
this day begins fine with light airs
took the Anchor on the turn of tide and
worked out bound to S W all sail set
the President in company Middle and
latter parts calm land 15 miles distan

Wednesday November 18th
commences with light winds from the W
Bark by the wind on S. tack all sail set
Middle and latter parts the same
Lat 8.20. N. Long. 13.48. W

Thursday November 19th
begin light from S W Bark on W tack
employed in ships duty Middle and
latter parts the same

Friday November 20th
light variable winds Bark on different
tacks President in sight Middle part
the same latter part squally with rain

Satterday November 21st
light variable winds and calm Middle
and latter parts light winds from N W
Unrerig, TG, sent down Maintopgallant
yard and mast
Lat 7.30. N. Long. 14.09. W

Sunday November 22,
begins moderate winds from N W steering
S E, sent up new mast and yard and
set up the rigging two sails in sight
Middle and latter parts much
the same one sail in sight

Remarks,, On,, Board,, B,, Franklin

Monday November 23.

this day begins with mordrate winds from W, Steering E, S.E. saw Blackfish lowered and got two Middle part, the same latter part calm employed in Ships duty

Lat 6,21. N. Long, 12,29. W

Tuesday November, 24th

begins light winds from W. Bark on S. tack crossed main royal yard and other small jobs at 6. bell set main Royal Middle part and latter the same

Lat 5,,48' N. Long,, 11,,23,, W

Wednesday November, 25th

begins mordrate winds from S.W. Bark on S. tack all drawing sail set Middle and latter parts much the same

Lat 5,,20, N. Long. 10,,33, W

Thursday November, 26th

Mordrate winds and overcast Bark on Southern tack Middle and latter part, much the same

Lat 4,52. N. Long, 9,35. W

Friday November, 27th

begins mordrate winds from S.W. Bark on S. tack employed in Ships duty Middle much the same with rain end, mordrate breeze, S.W. steering toward N. E. land in sight bearing, E. distant, 15, miles

Lat 4,41. N. Long,, 8,30. W

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of. New Bedford, Capt. Jny J. Kraley master
Satterday November, 28th
this, 24, hours begins mordrate from, S.W.
Bark on, S, tack land in sight to leeward
Middle and latter part, the same at, 10
A.M. Passed cape, Palmer, several, canoes
came of to, beg, Rum, Tobaco, and, Bread
the land, 25, Miles distant
Lat, 4,10, N Long, 7,10, W

Sunday November, 29th
begins with fine Breeze from, S.W. Bark on
Southern tack saw finbacks Middle part the
same at, 7, A.M. had a heavy Squall from
N.W. with rain wore ship and steared, S
end, mordrate from S.W. steering to, south
Lat 3,45, N Long, 5,18, W

Monday November, 30th
this, 24, hours begins with mordrate wind
from, S.W. Bark on, S, tack saw finbacks
middle and latter part the same, so ends,
Lat 3,47, N Long, 4,32, W

Tuesday December, 1st
this day begins mordrate wind from, S
Bark headding, E,S,E, saw Blackfish and
got one middle and latter part the same
Lat, 3,34, N Long, 3,10, W

Wednesday December, 2d
light wind from, S.W. Bark on, S, tack
Boiled the Blackfish and saw a bark
headding to westward middle and latter
part much the same lowered for Blackfish
but without success
Lat 2,30, N Long 1,23, W

Remark„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin

Thursday December 3.d

begins Mordrate wind, from S W, Bark on E, tack Middle and latter parts much the same with some squalls saw a Brig headding the same

Lat 2„20, N. Long„ 00,35, W.

Friday December, 4. th

Mordrate winds and overcast from S W Bark headding to S E Middle and latter parts Much the same nothing in sight

Lat, 2„23, N. Long„ 00„58„ East

Satturday December, 5. th

begins Mordrate wind from, S W, bark on, E, tack middle and latter much the same employed in ships duty

Lat, 2, 10, N. Long„ 2, 34, E.

Sunday December, 6. th

this, 24, hours Mordrate winds and overcast Bark on, E, tack saw Blackfish got one middle and latter the same saw Blackfish without sucess

Lat 1, 48, N. Long 3, 39. E,

Monday December, 7. th

Mordrate winds and overcast Bark on E, tack all sail set Middle and latter parts Strong headding S E

Lat 00, 40, N. Long„ 5, 16, E.

Tuesday December, 8, th

Strong winds and overcast headding S E Middle part the same latter mordrate Saw the Island of St, Thomas Right a head tack to weather it So ends no observation.

AD 1863

of New bedford, Capt, S, T, Braley, Master

Wednesday December, 9, th

begins with light variable winds and squalls of rain and calms the land 15, miles distant Middle and latter part much the same saw Blackfish got two so ends,

Lat, 00, 10, N. Long. 6, 28, E

Thursday December, 10, th

begins Mordrate winds from, S.W, Bark on different tacks land still in sight Middle part Strong winds from W, S W Bark heading S, ends with variable winds Boiling Blackfish

Lat 00 50 South Long, 7, 01, E

Friday December 11, th

Strong winds and squalley from S.W, Bark on S, tack, Sam sick with Dysentery Middle part squalley with rain plenty of Thunder and Lightning ends light wind, and overcast

Lat 1, 10. S Long, 6, 55, E,

Satterday December, 12, th

begins light winds from, S W, and overcast Bark on, S, tack Saw Blackfish got one Middle and latter parts the same got two Blackfish Sam no better

Lat 2, 15, S Long, 7. 43, E,

Sunday December, 13, th

Mordrate winds from N W, Bark on S tack rainy Middle part the same with rain ends Southerly winds Bark on different Tacks

Lat 3, 00, S, Long, 8, 57, East

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Monday December 14th
begins with moderate winds from S.
Bark on different tacks middle and
latter parts the same Boiling Blackfish
Lat, 3,00. S Long,, 8,, 01, E

Tuesday December 15th
Moderate winds and overcast Bark
on different tacks saw some Bellow
Middle and latter parts the same, caught
one Blackfish employed breaking out provis
Lat Long,,

Wednesday December 16th
Strong winds and overcast from
S, Bark on different tacks light sails
in Middle and latter parts light winds
Boiling blackfish
Lat 3,22. S Long,, 8,25,, E

Thursday December 17th
light winds from S, and squally
end, the same three men on
sick list
Lat 3,30. S,, Long,, 8,26, E.

Friday December 18th
begins Southerly wind, and squalls
of rain Bark on different tacks middl
and latter part the same
Lat 3,,40. S Long,, 8,07,, E.

Satterday December 19th
Strong winds from S, Bark on
different tacks, middle part, same
latter part on E, tack saw Sperm
Whales got none
Lat, 3,50. S Long,

Sperm Whales got nothing

of,, New bedford,, Capt,, S,, T,, Braley master

Sunday December, 20, th

light variable wind, one boat chaseing the whale, at 3, P.M came on a heavy squall went on board saw them no more Middle and latter parts squalley with much rain so end,, George,, is no better the other sick men gain

Monday December, 21, st

thick rainy and squalley light sails in Middle part light wind, and overcast latter part calm Hunter on duty so ends this day

Lat,, 4,54,, S Long,, 8,, 11. E

Tuesday December, 22, d

calm and overcast cruising ground looks dull set boat crew watches middl and latter part much the same Unbent the jib for repairs Rainy squalls

Lat 5,, 20 S Long. 9,, 04 E,

Wednesday December, 23, d

begins light winds and calm cruising middle and latter parts much the same repairing the jib

Lat 5,, 15,, S Long,, 9,, 50, E,

Thursday December, 24, th

begins moderate and overcast some rain finished the jib and bent it ends the same the sick men gain one on duty employed putting Red on the Starboard Boat

No observations

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin„ of

Friday December ,25. th

this day begins Moderate wind and overcast with some rain Middle part the same end, light winds and fine nothing in sight so ends this day

Lat,3„30„ S„ Long„ 8„37„ E„

Satterday December„26„ th

begins light winds and fine with passing clouds employed in ships duty this day saw a„ Scrag„ at 6, P.M. tack to W, all sail out Middle part much the same end, light Bark on E, tack. Wanton off duty sick Sam on duty to day

Lat,4,14. S– Long„ 8„53„ E

Sunday December ,27. th

light winds from W, Bark hedding ,N.N,E, at 6, P.M. took in light sails for the night ,Middle and latter part, much the same one sail in sight

Lat,4, 50„ S Long„ 9,21. E

Monday December 28, th

Moderate winds and overcast Spoke Bark President Middle and latter part, the same the sick Men about the same

Lat„4,25, S Long„ 9, 38, E

Tuesday December ,29, th

Moderate winds and overcast cruising Middle and latter part, clear and fine ends with light airs saw a Breach did not make it out

Lat,4, 00. S Long„ 9.22 E

Newbedford„ Capt„ S„ T„ Braley„„ master

Wednesday December, 30th
light winds and fine nothing in sight
Middle and latter parts the same employed
Making new Boatsail, sick men the same
Lat,3,50„ S Long„ 9,27„ E

Thursday December, 31st
light and fine nothing in sight
Middle and latter the same
So ends this day and year
Lat„ 3,35„ S Long„ 9,10„ E

Friday January 1st„ 1864
Moderate wind from S,E, Bark
on different tacks President in sight
ends very much the same
Lat„ 4„ 02„ S Long„ 8„ 55„ East

Satterday January „2„
this 24 begins fine and pleasant saw
grampus Middle and latter parts squals
of rain and thick cook off duty sick
Lat„4,10„ S Long„ 8„55„ E

Sunday January 3
this day begins thick and rainy steering
to E at 4 P.M. luf to wind on E, tack
President in sight Middle and latter
parts the same bark on different tacks
Lat„ 4„00„ S Long„ 9„25„ E

Monday January 4th
begins rainy and variable wind
middle and latter parts clear bark
on different tack
Lat,4,20, S Long„ 9„ 16 E

Remarks On Board Bark Benj Franklin

Sperm Whales

Tuesday January 5th
begins fine and clear steering [illegible] at 3, P.M, saw Sperm Whales struck three and killed three starboard boat and lost the whale at 10, P.M got the two whales along side and sent all hands below Middle part the same at 5, A.M saw whales close to the ship lowered two boats struck two whales one took the line the other hauled the irons off and lost them both went on board and commenced to cut
Lat Long

Wednesday January 6th
fine employed cutting at 5, P.M finished set the watch and started the works Middle and latter parts the same ends overcast

Thursday January 7th
light winds and overcast Bark on different tacks Boiling Middle and latter parts much the same with some rain
Lat, 3.29 S Long 9.09 E

Friday January 8th
begins light winds and overcast Bark W. tack Boiling Middle and latter parts the same employed Boiling and other small jobs
Lat Long

Satturday January 9th
begins calm and fine at 10, P.M, finished Boiling middle and latter parts light winds and plenty of thunder squalls plenty of rain not much wind Bark on Different tacks no observations

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of New Bedford S. T. Braley Master

Sunday January 10th

this day begins light wind and overcast Bark on different tacks nothing in sight Middle and latter part tempestious and calm and rain

Lat 4.20 S Long 9.00 E

Monday January 11th

light winds and overcast with mordrate rain Middle and latter parts light airs and calm employed stowing oil one sail in sight

Lat 4.12 S Long 9.37 E

Tuesday January 12th

calm at 4 P.M. light wind from N finished stowing down and Spoke Bark President Middle and latter parts light winds and overcast So ends

Lat 4.00 S Long 9.15 E

Wednesday January 13th

this day begins fine nothing to bee seen employed in ships duty Middle and latter as usual nothing in sight

Lat 4.11 S Long 9.34 E

Thursday January 14th

begins light wind and overcast mending Starboard Boat Mr Willson of duty sick middle and latter parts the same Saw Blackfish without success

Lat 4.16 S Long 9.40 E

Friday January 15th

begins light airs and calm finished Starbor Boat Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 4.16 S Long 9.38 E

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark,, Bn Franklin

Satterday January. 16th

this day begins light winds and fine Steering to, N,,W, saw Blackfish got one middle and latter parts Strong winds and overcast employed in ships duty

Lat. 4.24, S Long. 9. 42 E

Sunday January. 17th

Strong winds and overcast employed Boiling Blackfish Middle and latter part, much the same nothing in sight but President

Lat,, 4.15, S Long, 9.23. E

Monday January. 18th

begins strong winds and overcast Spoke President Middle and latter parts Much the same employed in ships duty Mr Willson on duty So ends this day

Lat, 4,12. S Long. 9. 22. E

Tuesday January. 19th

this day begins fine weather with passing clouds middle and latter light and fine saw Blackfish

Lat, 4, 10,, S Long 9,, 07, E,

Wednesday January, 20th

this day moderate winds and fine nothing to bee seen end, the same repairing Mizen

Lat, 4, 19,, S Long, 8. 50. E

Thursday January 21st

begins light winds and overcast Steering to, E, Middle and latter parts on different tacks

Lat 3. 57. S Long 9. 20. E

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of New Bedford,, S, T, Braley,, Master

Friday January, 22,

light wind, and overcast bark on different tacks, employed in ships duty Middle and latter part, the same

Lat,, 3,44, S, Long,, 9,45. E

Satterday January, 23,

Mordrate wind, and overcast saw finbacks tack to, S. Middle and latter parts different tacks ends calm finished the mincer

Lat, 3, 55. S. Long, 10,,13,, E

Sunday January, 24th

begins light winds and calm Nothing in sight Middle and latter parts the Same

Lat. 4,,43,, S Long, 9,,40,, E

Sperm Whale

Monday January, 25th

begins Mordrate winds and overcast bark on, S. tack at, 3. P.M. saw Sperm Whales lowered struck two got one got him along side at 9. and set the watch Middle parts the same at. 8. A.M. finished cutting at, 10. had a heavy Thunder Squall with much rain ends the same

Tuesday January, 26, th

begins calm and rainy at, 6. P.M. stoped raining started the works Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 4,,55. S Long,, 9.45,, E

Wednesday January, 27, th

begins light winds and overcast Boiling Nothing in sight Middle part the same at 12. A.M. finished Boiling ends overcast with Squalls Steering to, N. W. so end,

Lat, 5,00, S Long,, 9,,01,, E

Remarks,, On. Board,, Bark, B. Franklin

Thursday January. 28th
begins thick and rainy steering to W nothing in sight Middle and latter parts cruising employed stoing oil
Lat.4.48. S Long,, 9.17.. E

Friday January, 29th
begins light winds and squally finish stoing oil spoke Bark,, May Queen of Saylam, 62,, Dayes from Saylem bound to Congo River Middle and latter parts Much the same
Lat. 4,25. S Long, 9. 06 E

Satterday January. 30th
light winds and fine spoke President Middle and latter parts cruising President in sight nothing more
Lat. 4,46.,S Long, 9. 09. E

Sunday January. 31st
begins Mordrate and fine with passing clouds Middle and latter parts much the same at 10. A.M. saw a dead Whale which proved to bee the one that we lost one weak ago to day took him along side and got ready for cutting
Lat.4,39. S Long, 9,42 E

Sperm,, Stinker

Monday February the 1st
mordrate winds and fine employed cutting finished cut up the bluber and tried to boil but cooled down on account of its stiking Middle and latter parts much the same finished boiling the stinker So ends this day
Lat 4,52. S Long,, 9.18. E

of New bedford, S. T. Braley,, Master

Tuesday Febuary, 2,
begins strong wind, and overcast Bark on different tacks President in sight Middle and latter parts the same employed in ships duty
Lat, 4,46,, S, Long,, 9.40. E

Wednesday Febuary 3.
this, 24, hours begins moderate winds and overcast employed breaking out, shooks to set up, Middle and latter parts Much the same President in sight
Lat, 4.40,, S Long,, 9.08,, E

Thursday Febuary 4th
begins moderate winds and overcast employed in ships duty see finbacks and Blackfish Middle and latter parts the same cruising nothing in sight
Lat, 4,23, S Long,, 9.59,, E.

Friday Febuary 5th
this day begins light winds and fine setting up shooks Middle and latter parts the same
Lat,, 4,35,, S Long,, 9,, 40, E

Satterday Febuary 6th
begins light winds and overcast Bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts the same with thunder lightning and rain squalls
Lat, 4,,10,, S Long,, 9,24,, E

Sunday Febuary 7th
begins calm and light winds President in sight middle and latter parts the same thick and hazy weather
Lat,, 4.00, S Long, 9,00,, E

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Monday February 8th
this day begins with thunder and lightn
and rain tack as different tack
ends much the same no observation

Tuesday February 9th
begins thick and squalley weather
steering to north and east saw whales
Middle part by the wind latter part
steering to the north saw a Schooner
Lat 4.00 S. Long 8.24 E

Wednesday February 10th
this day overcast employed setting up
Shooks saw Blackfish got one steering
off at 7 P.M. luff to wind and took in
sail middle part the same latter part
steering to N.W.
La 3.17 S Lat 8 00 E

Island of Annabona

Thursday February 11th
mordrate wind and overcast steering
to N.W. Spoke President Middle and latte
parts much the same thunder lightning
and rain so ends this day
Lat 2.55 S. Long 7.55 E

Friday February 12th
Mordrate wind from W. steering
N by W. with all sail set employed
in ships duty Middle and latter
the same at 6 P.M. saw the Island
of Anabon distant 30 miles two
points on weather bow ends working
to windward employed repairing
Spanker

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off, Newbedford, S, T, Braley, Master

Satterday February, 13, th
begins light winds and fine working up to the anchorage at, 10. 30. P.M., come to anchor in, 4, fathoms with 30 fathoms chain, President in company Middle and latter part light winds and clear got one raft of watter so end,

Sunday February 14. th
begins clear employed in ships duty stowed down the watter sent raft on shore and washed ship left the raft over night Middle and latter parts the same the men on shore

Monday February, 15. th
Strong winds and overcast the men came on board at sunset Middle and latter parts Strong winds and squally could not get our raft off

Tuesday February, 16. th
begins Strong wind and heavy sea trading for fruit and fowls for corn Middle and latter parts fine with passing squalls of rain employed getting wood and watter

Wednesday February, 17. th
begins fine and calm finished the watter and got the ship ready for sea Middle light winds and fine So ends This day

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin
Thursday February 18th
this, 24, hours begins mordrate winds
and fine at 3. P.M. the captain came
from the President took our Anchor
and stood to westward with all sail
set the wind being„ S.S,W. Middle
and latter parts the same engaged
in ships duty Leaking 200 Strokes
Lat„ 1.14. S — Long„ 4.18. E.

Friday February 19th
begins mordrate wind and fine from
S.S,W. Bark on W. tack employed in
ships duty President in sight Middle
and latter parts much the same
employed in ships duty
Lat„ 00.46. S — Long„ 3. 00 E.

Satterday February 20th
mordrate winds from S.W. Bark
on W. tack all sail set employed
in ships duty saw blackfish did
not loaw Middle and latter parts
the same President in sight
Lat, 00- 06. N Long, 1, 30. E

Sunday February 21st
light winds and fine from, S.W.
Bark on W. tack all sails set Middle
and latter parts light airs Bark on
different tacks nothing in sight
Lat 00.26. N. Long 00.42. E

Monday February 22d
begins mordrate wind and fine Bark
on different tacks saw finbacks
ends with thunder squalls Bark
on different tacks

of "Newbedford" S. F. Braley" Master

Tuesday February, 23. d
light variable wind, and overcast
Bark on different tacks, saw blackfish
lowered without success, at 7, P.M, set
sea watches middle and latter
parts light baffling wind,
so ends this day
Lat, 00,20, N. Long 00. 57. E

Wednesday February, 24.
this day begins strong wind, from
S.S.W. Bark on W. tack a brig in
sight middle and latter part, the
same ends, strong wind,
Lat 0 44. N. Long, 1, 02. W

Thursday February, 25. th
this 24 hours begins strong wind,
from S. Steering W, by S, all
sail set middle and latter parts
light wind, and fine employed in
ships duty Pumping, 200. Strokes,
Lat, 1,30. N Long, 3, 02. W

Friday February, 26. th
this day begins moderate wind, from
S.S.W. Bark headding, W, ½, S. employed
in ships duty middle and latter
part, strong wind, and fine, 2,50 - Strokes,
Lat, 2,10, N. Long, 5. 26

Satterday February, 27. th
this day begins with strong wind, and
fine from S.S.W. steering W. ½. N.
all prudent sail set ends, much
the same took in Larboard Boat
and Put out a new one employed
in ships duty, Pump 200. Strokes in
La 13, 00 N. Long, 7,36.. W -12-hours

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Sunday Febuary 28th
begins fine and pleasant Steering W ½ N with all sail set Middle and latter parts the same 250 Strokes in 12 hours
Lat 3,46 S Long 9,36 W

Monday Febuary 29th
the first part of this day moderate winds from S.S.W. Steering W ½ N all sail set raised Blackfish lowered without success Middle part the same latter part light winds and fine employed in Ships duty setting up rigging Steering W.N.W.
Lat 4,12 S Long 11,55 West

Tuesday March 1st
begins moderate winds employed at fitting rigging Steering W.N.W. by W all sail set middle and latter parts Steering W.N.W. employed setting up rigging tarring rigging and repairing fore topsail
Lat 3,52 S Long 13,54 W

Wednesday March 2nd
moderate winds and fine Steering W.N.W. with fore topsail on deck employed in Ships duty at 4 P.M. bent fore topsail and set it middle and latter parts the same, repairing Main topsail and fitting rigging
Lat 3,34 S Long 16,22 W

of New Bedford, S. T. Braley, Master

Thursday March 3rd

This day begins with moderate wind from S.E. Steering N by W. bent main topsail and set it. Middle and latter parts wind S. Steering N.W. employed repairing flying jib and tarring rigging

Lat 2,34, S. Long 18.44. W

Friday March 4th

begins with fine breeze from S. Steering N.W. employed repairing sails and tarring rigging Middle and latter parts much the same repairing main top gallant sail fine the gale some better

Lat ~~2,22~~ 1,20 S Long 20,46, W

Satterday March 5th

moderate winds and overcast from S.E. Steering N.W. repairing foresail middle and latter parts light and calm employed in ship's duty

Lat 00 24, S. Long 22,13. W

Sunday March 6th

begins light airs and calm rainy weather from S.E. Steering N.W. middle and latter part light winds from E. Steering N.W. W.

Lat 00 26, N Long 23 00 W

Monday March 7th

begins light wind and fine from E Steering N by W. two sails in sight heading S. Middle and latter parts much the same employed repairing sail,

Lat 1,00 N. Long 23,41. W

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark, B,, Franklin

Tuesday March .8. th
begins light wind from, E, and overcast steering to,N,b,E, employed in ships duty two sails in sight one hedding to North middle part the same latter part calm and rainy several sails in sight no Observations

Wednesday March .9. th
begins calm and overcast with heavy swell from, N E, middle and latter parts much the same thick and rainy
No Observations

Thursday March ,10. th
this day begins moderate wind, and rainy from, N E, heading, N W, with all prudent sail set middle part the same latter part light airs and calm and clear nothing in sight
Lat 13,, 29. N, Long, 25. 40, W

Friday March ,11. th
this day begins with clear weather and light wind, from, N E, heading to, N W, middle and latter parts strong trades heading, N W, by N, ends clear and strong sick man gaining
Lat 14,55, N Long,, 27,55, W

Satterday March 12, th
begins strong trades and clear on the starboard tack our leak is nothing foretopgallant sail in middle and latter parts the same the sick man gaining
Lat 16,38, N, Long 29,, 50, W

of Newbedford,, S, T, Braley,, Master

Sunday March, 13. th
this day begins strong winds and overcast headding, N, E, W, at 5, P.M. set fore topgallant sail Middle and latter part moderate one sail in sight bound northward so end, this day
Lat,, 8,14, N. Long,, 31,18, W

Monday March, 14. th
begins steady winds and overcast all sail set headding, N, N, W, Middle and latter parts light winds and overcast head beat sea, 100, Strokes,
Lat, 9, 37,, N. Long,, 32,09. West

Tuesday March, 15, th
this day begins moderate trades and thick cloudy weather Started cask of Molasses Middle and latter parts much the same the sick man gaining Slowly
Lat, 11. 21. N. Long,, 33,54. W

Wednesday March, 16, th
begins strong trades and thick headding N, by, W, foretop gallant sail in Middle and latter parts the same fore and main topgallant sail, in so ends this day
Lat 13,30, N Long. 35,30, W

Thursday March, 17, th
begins moderate winds and fine with heavy head beat sea at 5, P.M, set main topgallant sail headding, N, middle and latter parts strong winds and squally light sails in ends more moderate set main topgallant sail
Lat, 15, 41,, N. Long,, 35,58. W

Remarks, On, Board, Bark. B. Franklin

Friday March 18th
this day begins with strong trades and heavy head beat sea and thick weather heading N N E top gallant sails in middle and latter parts much the same
Lat 17,55, N Long 36,38, W

Satterday March 19th
begins with strong winds and overcast heading N b E with light sails in Middle and latter parts mordrate all sail set several sails in sight
Lat 20,03, N Long 37,09, W

Sunday March 20th
begins mordrate winds and fine all sail set Middle and latter parts the same several sail in sight
Lat 21,40 N Long 37,17, W

Monday March 21st
this day begins light airs and fine all sail set two sails in sight Middle and latter parts light airs and calm
Lat 22,40 N Long 37,23, W

Tuesday March 22d
this day begins light airs from E and calm took the sheathing of from the gangway and found seams pretty soft two sails in sight steering N E Middle and latter parts light winds from W steering N E saw Blackfish lowered at 7 A M and chased them till 11.30 A M and got three poor devils so ends
Lat 23,21, N Long 37,05 W

Wednesday March 23d

this day begins with Mordrate wind from W. Steering N.E. all sail set several sail in sight Middle and latter part Squalley and variable wind from N. to W. with rain light sails in

Lat ~~24.40.~~ 25.30. N. Long 36.20 W.

Thursday March 24th

this day begins with Strong wind and variable with much rain from N.W. to S.W. Steering N.E. all prudet Sail set at 7 P.M. wind W. Middle and latter parts variable wind and thick rainy weather with heavy squall

Friday March 25th

this day begins with heavy squalls from N. parted topsail sheat at 7 P.M. bark
* under close reef fore and dubble reef main headding E. Middle and latter mordrate gale from N.N.W. and heavy sea bark on Port tack headding E.N.E. close reef fore and two in main Leaking 1200 Strokes in 24 hours

Lat 26.12. N. Long 34.43. W.

Satterday March 26th

this day begins mordrate gale from N.N.W. and heavy sea bark under short sail headding E.N.E. clear weather at 2 P.M. set mainsail middle and latter parts Mordrate and clear steering N.E. all sail set emplay Boiling Blackfish and repairing topsail sheats so ends this day

Lat 27.11. N Long 34.18. W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Sunday March 27th

this day begins with clear weather and light wind from W. steering N.E. at 1. P.M. thick weather with winds from S.S.W. and raining at 8. P.M. hauled to N.W. and increased to a mordrate gale took in light sails and reef the topsails steering N.E. by N. ends the same Pump 1,000.

Lat. 29.15. N. Long. 33.52. West

Monday March 28th

this day begins with mordrate gale and heavy sea from N.W. steering N.E. ½ N. under reef topsails jib Spanker foresail and main staysail three men on sick list Middle and latter parts much the same heavy squalls with rain so ends this day pumping 1,100 Str

Lat. 31.22. N. Long. 33.42. W.

Tuesday March 29th

this day begins mordrate winds from N.W. with heavy squalls steering N.E. ½ N. all prudent sail set Middle and latter part mordrate and clear from N.N.E. bark on E. tack employed in ships duty Pump 500 Strokes

Lat. 32.33. N. Long. 33.0. W

Wednesday March 30th

begins light airs and calm heading S.E. at 4. P.M. light airs from W. and overcast all sail set steering N.E. by N. middle part calm latter part light winds from S. Steering N.E. by E. all drawing sail set the sick men some better

Lat. 33.26. N. Long. 33.23. W.

of,, New,,bedford,, S,,T,, Braley,, Master A.D. 1864

Thursday March 31st
begins Moderate winds and overcast from the S. Steering N.E. all sail set Middle part the same with strong winds ends strong winds and rainey

Friday April 1st
this day begins with strong winds and thick rainey weather from S, Steering N.E.½.E. Middle and latter parts light winds from S. and thick ends strong winds and thick Steering N.E.
Lat 37.47 N Long 31.00 W

Satterday April 2d
Strong winds from S.W. and thick squalley weather took in light sails at 4 P.M. put two reefs in topsails Steering E.N.E. Middle part Steering E at 8 A.M. Steering N. with topgallant sail set at 10 saw the Brakers on the E. end of Pico wore ship to W. so ends thick as mud

Sunday April 3d
begins strong winds from S.S.W. and thick Bark on W. tack no land in sight heavy swell roling in toward the land and thick fog took in light sails and mainsail Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks headding W. on one tack and S.E. on the other
Lat 38.15 N Long 30.10 W

Remarks„ On„ board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin

Monday April 4th
begins with mordrate gale from S,W, and thick bark on different tacks under close reef tapsails foretop mast and main and mizzen staysail Middle part the same bark on E, tack latter part more mordrate steering S E. at 11, A M„ saw the land so ends

Tuesday April 5th
begins with mordrate winds from the S W, and overcast steering for the land at 3, P M, came to Anchor in Fayal with fifty fathoms chain captain went on shore Middle and latter part the same employed discharging oil

Wednesday April 6th
begins mordrate employed breaking out oil sent one lighter load on shore middle and latter parts strong winds thick finished discharging oil so ends –

Thursday April 7th
Strong winds from S. and thick taking on board recruits some of the natives on shore Middle part strong winds and Squalley at 12. middle let go the second Anchor at 8, the captain came on board and put John Dilling in the forecastle making disturbance in the ship the Steward went on shore again at 10 A M, recived a note from the captain to come on shore with John Dilling„ David Burt and Frank to see the consul about a complaint enterd by them of bad usage on board afterwards sent for Emanuel Oliver boatst[illegible] and

Fayal
4-49 = Gallons„ Blackfish —— Landid„ 347.31 = Gallons„ Sperm„ Oil„ from Bark„ B„ Franklin
Sold„ 50„ cts„

of „New bedford„ „J„ Braley„ Master one other boat steerer that was on shore some complained of hard useage some some of not having enough to eat and some of long lays and small outfits so ends this day all wanted their discharge

Friday April 8th

this day begins fine and overcast the consul could not decide and told the men to go on board and com on shore tomorrow which they promised to do but did not fulfill went on board my self and left seven men on shore Middle and latter parts the same the men still on shore loosed sails to dry

Satterday April 9th

this day begins mordrate winds from W and clear waiting for orders at 7 P.M. the men the men are not on board yet Jack Boatsteerer, Frank Silva and Santaanna absent 48 ours Middle and latter parts the same

Sunday April 10th

this day begins strong winds from N and rainy Jack Manuel Oliver Boatsteers and two foremast hand got their discharge and took there things on shore and the six green men went on shore and cooper at 6 bloing a gale from N let go the second anchor with the hale of the port chain middle and latter parts the same with rain and heavy sea the captain did not com on board it being to ruggedt

Remark,, On,, Board,, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Monday April .11. th

this day begins strong wind, from, S and heavy squalls at .3. Bell. took moorings from Shore, 90, fathoms chain 2500. pounds Anchor Ship pitching heavy the cooper came on board leaving six of the natives on shore Middle and latter parts more mordrate ends light winds and overcast hired some men from shore to tak our anchors

Tuesday April, 12, th

this day begins mordrate and fine at .6. Bell the captain sent another man to come on shore wind still light but overcast Middle and latter parts the same employed washing Ship loosed sails to dry 5 bbls flour came on board

Wednesday April .13. th

begins light winds from S. and clear imployed coaltaring bends and furling sails Middle part calm and clear latter part light wind from S and overcast

Thursday April, 14. th

this day begins overcast with rain wind E, one man Shiped and came on board Middle part mordrate latter part mordrate gale from E and overcast another man Shiped and came on board

Friday April, 15, th

this day begins mordrate gale from E and overcast Ship pitching and roling heavy Middle part the same latter part Mordrate and fine with passing clouds

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of Newbedford. S, T, Braley" Master

Satterday April ,16, th

this 24 hours begins mordrate and fine light winds from E, two more men came on board Middle part the same latter part calm

Sunday April ,17, th

this day begins light winds from S, and clear saw a Bark of south side the Island Boiling Middle and latter parts the same

Monday April ,18 th

begins mordrate winds from SW, and overcast Middle and latter parts heavy squalls from W, SW, and rainey let go second Anchor

Tuesday April ,19, th

this day begins mordrate from W. and thick the captain William King and Manuel Oliver Boatsteerers sent and one foremast hand on board at 5 the captain came on board sliped our moorings and went to sea at 6, steering N, close reef topsails jib and foresail ,22 men all told Middle part the same latter part steering E, SE, ends strong winds and hazy John Dillon, steward again

Lat 39,35. N Long" 28.04" W

Wednesday April ,20, th

this day begins with mordrate gale from NW. steering E,SE, reef topsails and foresail at 5 more mordrate set main top gallantsail Middle and latter parts the same ends strong winds from SW. steering SE.

Lat 39,04 N. Long 25.00 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Thursday April 21st

this day begins with fresh gale from S W and overcast steering S E by E close reef topsails and foresail middle and latter parts the same with heavy squalls of rain and sale took in main topsail and foresail steering S E

Lat 37.44 N Long 22.00 W

Friday April 22

this day begins fresh gale from N W and overcast steering S E by E close reef topsails and foresail middle part the same latter part mordrate with squalls of rain

Lat 36.34 N Long 18.20 W

Satterday April 23

begins mordrate wind from N W and squalley heavy swell and little wind headding to S E middle part light winds and overcast with some rain latter part light winds and fine one sail in sight saw finbacks

Lat 36.26 N Long

Sunday April 24

this day begins with light winds from N E and fine steering S E all sail set employed breaking out provisions middle and latter parts light winds from N W and clear ends calm three sails in sight

Lat 36.27 N Long 15.00 W

Monday April 25 the light wind from Nd W and clear steering S E middle and latter parts the same employed repairing old boat

Lat 36.28 N Long 13.10 W

of New bedford, S.T. Braley Master

Tuesday April 26th

this day begins light winds from W and foggy steering S.E. by E. employed repairing Boat Middle part the same latter part light winds from N.N.E. steering E by S.

Lat 35.34 N Long 11.15 W

Wednesday April 27th

this day begins with light winds from N.N.E. and overcast steering E by S. finished the boat and put her overhead Middle and latter parts the same employed Painting over head Boat Saw a Dead Whale

Lat ~~35.34~~ Long

Stinker 31 bbls

Thursday April 28th

this day begins fine from N.N.E. took the whale along side which proved to bee a Sulpher bottom cut him in at 8, set the watch and started the works Middle and latter parts Boiling heading S.E. wind from E. so ends

Lat 35.20 N Long 8.12 W

Friday April 29th

begins moderat winds from E and clear bark on E. tack at 10 P.M. finished Boiling middle part the same latter part calm with some fog at 10 A.M. cleared and saw the land distant 30 miles

Lat 35.02 N Long 7.20 W

Satterday April 30th

begins light winds from N. bark on different tacks Stoed down the oil Middle and latter parts light airs and calm cruising nothing in sight employed washing ship

Lat 35.04 N Long 7.30 W

Remarks„ on„ Board„ Bark„ B„ ny Franklin

Sunday May 1st

this day begins light airs and clear cruising saw porpoises at 7 P.M. took in sail and set boats crew watches Middle and latter parts calm Land distant 20 miles

Monday May 2nd

this day begins with light winds from N E and clear spoke Bark Wave of Newbedford Middle and latter parts strong winds and heavy sea saw finbacks and Porpoises

Lat 35.21 N Long 6.25 W

Tuesday May 3rd

this day begins with strong winds from N E bark heading in shore at 7 P.M. wore ship of shore Land 10 miles distant Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks short sail

Lat„ 35.26„ N Long„ 6„ 26„ W

Wednesday May 4th

this day begins clear with mordrate winds from N E bark on different tacks several sail in sight merchant men but no whales Middle and latter parts the same

Lat„ 35„ 06„ N Long„ 6„ 47„ W

Thursday May„ 5th the begins light airs and fine saw plenty of porpoises at 4 P.M. lowered for a scool of Algeriean Porpoises and got three at 8 calm Middle and latter parts much the same saw porpoises so ends

Lat„ 35,8 N Long„ 6„57 W

of Newbedford S. T. Braley Master A.D. 18.64

Friday May 6th
begins calm and clear porpoises in sight Middle and latter part light wind from S employed Boilling the algerreans which made about 2 bbls
Lat 34.50 N Long 6.35 W

Satterday May 7th
this day begins with mordrate wind from the W and heavy swell nothing in sight Middle part the same with rain end mordrate wind and overcast bark on different tacks employed repairing foretopgallant sail
Lat 35.12 N Long 7.00 W

Sunday May 8th
this day begins with mordrate wind from N finished the topgallant sail and bent it at 4 P.M. had quite a heavy squall from W thunder lightning and rain middle and latter part strong wind and squally on different tack
Lat ~~35.43~~ N Long ~~6.39~~ W

Monday May 9th
this day begins strong winds and squalls two whalers in sight at 4 P.M. spoke Bark President had taken 50 bbls since leaving fayal middle and latter parts light airs land in sight so ends
Lat 35.43 N Long 6.39 W

Tuesday May 10th
begins light winds and fine saw finback and several sails and two steamers middle and latter parts the same saw finback and porpoise
Lat 35.44 N Long 6.53 W

Remarks„ On„ Board„ B„ B„ Franklin

Wednesday May. 11. th
this day begins with fine light weather from: S W on different tacks Middle and latter part the same
Lat„ 35 28„ N Long„ 6„ 55. W

Thursday May„ 12, th
begins with light winds and fine from S, bark on different tacks spoke Bark President middle and latter parts strong winds from, N, on different tacks nothing to bee seen
Lat 35. 00. N, Long, 6„ 54, W

Friday May, 13. th
strong Northerly winds and fine saw finback, middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight but the land and„ President and„ Wave
Lat„ Long„

Satterday May„ 14. th
this 24, hours mordrate northerly winds and fine nothing in sight middle and latter parts the same steering to S W, to ends this day
Lat„ 34. 50„ N„ Long„ 7. 0. W

Sunday May 15. th
begins light winds and fine steering to S W at 4. P M luff to the wind nothing in sight middle and latter parts much the same at 9. A M foggy ends the same

of Newbedford S. T. Braley Master

Monday May 16th

this day begins clear and light winds from N. Bark on different tacks saw porpoises Middle and latter part the same so ends this day

Lat. 35.14 N Long. 7.10 W

Tuesday May 17th

this day begins calm spoke "Wave" saw porpoises Middle part the same latter part calm and foggy herd a steamer pass but could not see her at 10 A.M. fog lit with light air from N.E.

Lat. 35.10 N Long. 7.06 W

Wednesday May 18th

this day begins with strong N.E. winds and smoky bark on different tacks saw nothing Middle and latter parts the same land in sight at 6 A.M. steering S.W.

Lat. 35.10 N Long. 7.30 W

Thursday May 19th

this day strong N.E. wind and haze bark on different tacks Middle part mordrate latter part calm saw President Boiling nothing in sight but sails

Lat. 34.57 N Long. 7.00 W

Friday May 20th

this day light winds from N. and clear spoke President an Wave at 7 P.M. calm Middle part the same latter part light wind from E. and foggy steering to S.W. saw porpoises

Lat. 34.49 N Long. 7.27 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Satterday May 21st

this day begins with light from N. and smoky Middle part squally with thunder and lightning latter part Mordrate caught 3. Algereans steering to E. and S.

Lat. 34.56 N — Long. 6.58 W

Sunday May 22d

this day begins mordrate winds and overcast saw nothing Middle and latter parts calm so ends

Lat. 35.00 N — Long. 6.53 W

Monday May 23d

this day light winds from N. and overcast saw porpoises Middle part the same latter part light airs from N. Bark on E. tack

Lat. 34.44 N Long. 6.50 West

Tuesday May 24th

light winds and overcast from N land in sight Bark on different tacks Middle part strong winds latter calm and squally

Lat 34.50 N Long. 7.12 W

Wednesday May 25th

Mordrate winds and clear on different tacks employed making a reef in fore topgallant sail Middle and latter parts calm and thick so ends this day three sail in sight

Lat. 35.10 N Long. 6.53 W

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Thursday May, 26,, th
this day calm at 4,, P.M. light airs from
W. middle and latter parts strong wind
and overcast looked for Killers without
sucess so ends this day
Lat,, 34.44,, N Long,, 6.56. W

Friday May 27. th
this day strong winds from N. and clear
land 20 miles distant spoke barks President
and Wave middle and latter parts light
airs and calm nothing in sight
Lat,, 34.44,, N Long,, 6,,56,, W

Satterday May, 28. th
this day begins light airs from N. W. bark
on W, tack middle and latter parts
the same saw whitewatter but did
not make it out
Lat,, 34.53. N Long,, 7,,24. W

Sunday May, 29. th
this day begins fresh winds from N. W.
bark on different tacks middle and
latter parts the same saw porpoises
Lat 35.34 N Long,, 7.17. W

Monday May ,,30,, th
begins light winds from N. and fine
Bark on E. tack middle part the same
latter part calm employed repairing
gaft topsail nothing in sight
Lat,, 35.10,, N Long,, 7,,29,, W

Remarks On Board Bark B "Franklin"

Tuesday May 31 st
this day begins with light winds from W. and clear saw porpoises middle and latter parts the same
Lat 34.33 N Long 7.31 W

Wednesday June 1 th
light winds and fine cruising middle and latter parts the same caught a porpois
Lat 34,34 N Long 7,25 W

Thursday June 2 th
this day begins light and fine middle part the same latter calm so ends
Lat 35.12 N Long 7.07 W

Friday June 3 d
light winds and fine saw the land and one sail to eastward Boiled out the porpois blubber which made 14 gallons middle and latter parts the same
Lat 35.00 N Long 7.16 W

Satterday June 4 th
this day begins with light winds from N and fine nothing in sight middle and latter parts the same employed shifting and repairing topsails saw a Stranger Boiling
Lat 34.00 N Long 7.00 W

Sunday June 5 th
begins light winds and fine land in sight middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight but ships
Lat 35.26 N Long 7.13 W

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Monday June 6th

this day begins mordrate winds from W, and clear two Barks in sight middle and latter part much the same

Lat. Long.

Tuesday June 7th

begins with mordrate winds and fine Spoke Bark Annawan 160 bbls all told middle and latter parts calm and light winds land in sight

Lat 34.53 N Long 6.53 W

Wednesday June 8th

this day begins with strong winds from N.W. saw finbacks middle and latter parts the same saw porpoises

Lat 35.00 N Long 7.21 W

Thursday June 9th

this day begins with strong winds and clear middle and latter part the same

Lat Long

Friday June 10th

this day begins strong winds and rugged saw finbacks Middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight two reefs in topsails

Lat 35.30 N Long 6.39 W

Satterday June 11th

this day begins strong and rugged land in sight saw finbacks middle part the same latter part mordrate land in sight and several sails

Lat 35.04 N Long 7.20 W

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark. R.. Franklin

Sunday June 12th
begins strong winds and hazy on different tacks saw porpoises Middle middle and latter parts the same
Lat 35,36. N. Long. 6.56. W.

Monday June 13th
this day begins fine and light wind. nothing in sight but merchant ships Middle and latter parts much the same spoke the President

Tuesday June 14th
strong winds and squalls, Middle and latter parts much the same
Lat 35,34,, N. Long,, 7. 2. W.

Wednesday June 15th
begins strong winds and overcast saw porpoises Middle and latter parts the same as usual
Lat 35,40 N. Long,, 7,,20,, W.

Thursday June 16th
this day begins moderate and overcast saw nothing Middle and latter parts calm employed in repairing foresail
Lat Long,,

Friday June 17th
begins moderate winds from N.W. and fine Middle and latter parts strong winds and smoky
Lat 35,,05. N. Long. 7,,06. W.

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Satturday June 18th

This day begins strong winds and hazy heading in shore at 7 P.M. tacks of shore land distant 20 miles Middle and latter parts the same

Sunday June 19th

Strong winds from E and overcast with heavy sea land 20 miles distant Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 35.12 N Long 7.00 W

Monday June 20th

Mordrate winds from E and clear spoke President Middle part calm latter part mordrate winds from E steering N,,N.W. nothing in sight

Lat 35.12 N Long 6.54 W

Tuesday June 21st

light winds and hazy weather saw the Annawan heading on E tack middle and latter parts much the same ends steering westward

Lat 35.00 N Long 8.40 W

Wednesday June 22d

light winds from N.E. steering to westward Middle part the same latter part strong winds from N. steering E,S E.

Lat 34.22 N Long 8.35 W

Thursday June 23d

Strong winds and hazy steering E.S.E. saw finback middle and latter parts light airs and calm

Lat 34.8 N Long 7.43 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Friday June 24th

this day begins light airs from N.E. Bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts the same saw nothing

Lat 34.32 N. Long 7.01 W

Satterday June 25th

begins light airs and calm caught a porpois Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 35.00 N. Long 6.42 W

Sunday June 26th

this day begins light airs and calm at 2 P.M. land in sight tack off shore Middle and latter parts calm and foggy

Lat 35.24 N. Long 7.07 W

Monday June 27th

begins light airs and calm Spoke President and Anawan

Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 35.00 N. Long 6.55 W

Tuesday June 28th

begins light airs and hazy nothing in sight Middle and latter parts the same

Wednesday June 29th

light and hazy nothing in sight Middle and latter parts the same ends steering to N.W. nothing in sight

Lat 35.15 N. Long 7.48 W

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Thursday June 30th

this day begins with mordrate wind from E. steering to N.W. Middle and latter part much the same

Lat 35.36 N. Long 8.41 W.

Friday July 1st

begins mordrate wind and hazy bark on W. tack Mid and latter part much the same saw nothing

Lat 35.20 N. Long 10.47 W.

Satterday July 2

this day begins strong winds and hazy bark on W. tack Middle and latter part mordrate hadding to N. W.

Lat 35.20 N. Long 12.29 W.

Sunday July 3

begins mordrate winds and hazy one sail in sight headding to east Middle and latter part the same

Lat 35.26 N. Long 14.32 W.

Monday July 4th

this day begins light airs from W. bark on W. tack several sail in sight Middle and latter part the same employed corking and sheathing the gangway

Lat 35.00 N. Long 15.52 W.

Tuesday July 5th

begins light westerly airs and fine nothing in sight Middle and latter parts the same employed cleaning and Painting Ironwork saw a Steamer with a Large Shipe in too Moving towards Madeira

Lat 34.44 N. Long 16.13 W.

Remarks,, On,, board,, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Wednesday July 6. th
begins pleasant with light airs from N W
Bark on W. tack Middle and latter parts
light airs and calm employed cleaning
Iron Several sail in sight
Lat,, 34,32, N. Long,, 16.57. W

Thursday July 7,, th
begins light airs from N W bark on, W
tack finished cleaning the Iron work
Middle and latter parts light airs and
calm employed Painting Ironwork
second coat three sails in sight
La t,34,21. N. Long,, 17.56. W

Friday July 8. th
this day begins calm employed Painting
Ship Middle and latter parts much
the same at 9 A M,, tack to,, E,N E,,
La t,,34,,10,, N Long,,18,13,, W

Satterday July 9. th
this, day begins with moderate winds
from N W bark on N tack go ragged
to finish Painting Middle and latter
parts the same Bark on Different tacks
La t,,34,34,, N, Long 19. 02. W

Sunday July 10. th
Strong winds from N and rugged
Bark on, W. tack Middle and latter
parts much the same
La t,,34.46, N Long,, 20 30 W

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Monday July 11th

this day beggins strong winds from N.d W. Bark on W. tack middle part squalley took in light sails latter part more mordrate headding to westward saw porpoises so ends this day

Lat 34.26 N. Long 22.15 W

Tuesday July 12th

begins strong winds from the N. and overcast bark on W. tack Middle and latter parts the same and overcast

Lat 34.17 N. Long 23.47 W

Wednesday July 13th

this day begins with strong winds and thick from W. at 4 P.M. tack to N. light sails in Middle and latter parts the same, Picked Up a Bottle with a paper in it, dated, New Orleans, May 10. 1863

Lat 34 24 N Long 24.26 W

Thursday July 14th

begins Strong winds from N. bark on W. tack at 7 P.M. saw a whale spouting but did not make him out it being near night too reef in topsails middle part the same latter part mordrat all sail set on W. tack

Lat 34.50 N Long 26.10 W

Friday July 15th

this day begins fine and clear saw porpoises Bark on W. tack Middle and latter light airs one sail in sight

Lat 35.05 N Long 27.34 W

Remarks,, on,, Board,, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Satterday July ,,16. th

this day begins calm and clear finished Painting Ship,, caught two Turtles,, King a Boatsteerer of duty on acount of spitting blood Middle part the same latter part light airs from W,, bark on N. tack

Lat 35,,10, N. Long,, 27,,43. W

Sunday July .17. th

begins with light winds from W. and clear bark on N. tack Middle and latter parts Much the same Loared two Boats for grampuses

Lat,,35,,25, N. Long,,27,,34,, W

Monday July .18. th

this day begins calm at .7. light airs from N. Bark on W. tack middle and latter parts Much the same

Lat 35,,36,,N. Long,, 28,,13,, W

Tuesday July .19. th

calm and clear saw grampuses middle and latter parts the same

Lat,,35,,39. N. Long,, 28,,15,, W

Wednesday July 20,, th

begins calm and clear at .7. light airs from W. bark on ,N, tack middle part the same latter part calm

Lat,,35,,52. N. Long,, 27.38. W

Thursday July ,21. st

begins light airs from ,N, on, E. tack middle and latter parts much the same one sail in sight

Lat,,36,,12, N. Long,, 27,,18, W

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of New bedford S. T. Braley Master

Friday July 22d
this day begins fine and clear with light winds from N. Bark on E. tack 4 sails in sight Middle and latter parts the same saw a "carcass" so ends this day
Lat. 36.30 N. Long. 25.59 W

Satterday July 23d
this day begins light airs from N. and overcast bark on E. headding E. N. E at 3 P.M. saw the Island of St. Marrys bearing E. by S. distant 50 miles middle and latter parts lying of and on at 7 A.M. the captain went on shore to get some recruits took on shore two bbls Blackfish oil

Sold 6½ gallons of Black fish oil for 60 cts

Sunday July 24th
begins light airs and fine lying off and on sent one Boat for a raft of watter and one for Potatoes Onions at 3 the Watter came of at 6 the captain came took up the boat and stood to W.
Middle and latter parts light airs St Michels in sight
Lat 37.10 N. Long. 26.07 W

Monday July 25th
this day begins calm saw porpoises and grampuses Middle and latter parts light airs Bark on W. tack ends thick
Lat. 37.32 N. Long. 26.58 W

Tuesday July 26th
this day begins light winds and thick Bark on W. tack Middle part the same latter part winds from W. Bark on E tack ends thick
Lat. 37.46 N. Long. 27.51 W

Landed 1,411 Gallons of Whale oil landed from
Bark B. Franklin

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Wednesday July 27th

begins with light winds from W. and overcast Bark on E. tack at 6 P.M calm Middle and latter parts light winds from W. saw Blackfish lowered without success ends standing in for the land.

Lat. 38.16 N Long 27.59 W

Thursday July 28th

begins light air and fine Pico St. George and Fayal in sight Middle and latter parts the same Bark on different tacks

Lat. 38.10 N Long 28.23 W

Friday July 29th

light airs and fine Bark on different tacks Fayal, Pico and St. George in sight at 4 P.M. heading N.W. Middle part light winds latter part the same ends off and and on Fayal

Satterday July 30th

begins fine and light off and on at 5 P.M. the Lanch came for the oil at 6 the captain came on board and stood out out of the road to N.E. middle part the same latter part steering to E.

Lat 28 00 N Long 28.30 W
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Sunday July 31st

begins light airs from W. steering to E. at 7 P.M. luff to wind took in light sails Middle part the same latter part light winds and fine steering to E. the Island of Tercerra 10 miles distant saw grampuses and Porpoises caught one of New Bedford S. T. Braley Master

Monday August 1th
begins light airs and fine saw grampus and two sails middle and latter part the same saw Bark President lying off and on Traicin so ends,

Tuesday August 2d
begins light winds and calm the captain on board the President at 7 P.M. the captain came on board and steered to N. E. middle and latter parts much the same bark on different tacks

Wednesday August 3d
this day begins mordrate winds and overcast bark on different tack spoke Barks President and Roscoe middle part the same latter part light airs and overcast cruising of Whale Rock the captain quite unwell

Thursday August 4th
light airs and overcast cruising saw gramp at sunset tack off shore took in light sails Whale Rock bearing S. distant 3 miles middle and latter parts the same

Friday August 5th
begins mordrate winds from N E and overcast cruising saw plenty of grampus middle and latter parts the same

Satterday August 6th
begins strong winds and fine saw grampus middle and latter parts strong winds and overcast on different tacks

Remarks On board Bark R. Franklin

Drift Wood 19 inches Square
36 feet Long

Sunday August 7th

Strong winds from N. and overcast bark on different tacks two reef in topsails Middle and latter parts much the same Saw a Steamer Steering for the Island

Monday August 8th

this day begins more mordrate set Flying Jib and gaft topsail saw grampus and Killers Middle and latter parts Much the same the captain gaining

Tuesday August 9th

this day begins fresh winds from E. and overcast saw grampuses Middle and latter parts the same Steering to W. and other courses between the Islands So ends Sawing out headding

Lat 39.00 N. Long 28.27 W

Wednesday August 10th

Strong winds from N. and overcast took in light sails and reefs topsails steering N.W. by W. at 7 P.M. Fayal bearing S. distant 30 miles Middle and part the same employed sawing headding Saw Floras So ends

Lat 39.16 N. Long 30.51 W

Thursday August 11th

begins mordrate wind and overcast headding W. of N. Floras bearing N. distant 15 miles Middle and latter part strong winds and overcast employed sawing headding the captain Some better

Friday August 12th
this day begins mordrate wind from S W. Bark on W. tack Spoke Bark Clarra Bell. homeward Bound middle part rainy latter part mordrate and fine cruising land 15 miles distant

Satterday August 13th
begins calms and light wind nothing in Sight Middle part calm latter part light winds from S W. Steering S E. Floras in Sight to the N W.
Lat 39.18 N. Longe 30.57 W

Sunday August 14th
light winds and fine from S W. Steering S E. saw grampus Middle and latter parts the Same Fayal in sight

Monday August 15th
begins light airs and fine Steering S E. caught a Porpois Middle and latter parts Much the same the Islands in sight employed breaking out the main hatch for Provisions and Rotton casks

Tuesday August 16th
begins with mordrate winds from S. and rainey headding to E. Middle part squally with rain ends light winds breaking out

Wednesday August 17th
mordrate winds from W. S W. land 10 miles distant middle and latter part strong Squalls and rain with heavy sea employed breaking out and filling ground tier with Salt water

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Thursday August 18th
this day begins strong winds from N.N.W bark on different tacks breaking out main hatch Middle and latter part light winds and fine Spoke Bark C. Crocker 4 months out 400 Sperm Tercera 10 miles distant Cook off Duty sick

Friday August 19th
light airs from S.S.W and overcast Bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts Much the same Saw Porpoises

Satterday August 20th
begins with light winds and squalley with rain from S and S.W. Bark on N. tack took in light sails and Reef topsails Tercera bearing S.E. distant 20 miles Middle and latter parts strong winds and squalley
Lat 39.45 N — Long 27.25 W

Sunday August 21st
begins squalley from W.S.W. bark on N. tack light sails in and reef topsails Middle part the same latter light winds and clear steering N.N.W all drawing sail set Cook no better
Lat 40.02 N Long 27.30 W

Monday August 22d
light winds and overcast from S.E steering W. with all sail set saw grampus Middle part the same latter strong winds from N. and N.W with squalls and heavy sea Bark on western tack
Lat 39.34 N. Long 28.37 W

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Tuesday August 23rd

begins strong winds from S W with squalls and heavy sea under reef topsails at 11 P.M. wore Ship to N W. Middle and latter much the same headding W.

Lat 39.40 N. Long 23.42 W

Wednesday August 24th

Strong winds from S W and Smoky weather by the wind to W said Large Ship stiering eastward at 7 stiering N W. two reef in topsails Middle part the same latter part the same with squalls

Lat 40.36 N Long 32.10 W

Thursday August 25th

Strong winds and squally from S. with thunder and lightning stiering N W by W. at 6 P.M. more mordrate made all sail Middle part squally latter part mordrate stiering N W. by W all sail set

Lat 41.23. N Long 34.59. W

Friday August 26th

Strong winds from S and hazy stiering N W by W all sail set Middle and latter parts the same stiering W by N.

Lat 41.10. N Long 37.57. W

Satterday August 27th

this day mordrate winds from S W, and overcast stiering various ways Middle part squally from S W. latter part light winds and fine from W. headding to W. nothing in sight

Lat 40.44. N. Long 39.18. W

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Sunday August 28th

this day begins fine from W. and clear headding N. & N.W. at 4 Bells tack to W. Middle and latter parts Strong winds and squalley with rain on different tacks ends thick and much rain

Monday August 29th

begins thick and rainey from W. Middle and latter parts Strong winds and squalles and plenty of rain from N. two sails in sight

Lat 40,38 N. Long. 38. 49. W.

Tuesday August 30th

Strong winds from N. and squalley with rain bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts Much the same

Lat 40,54,, N. Long,, 39,25 W.

Wednesday August 31

begins moderate winds and fine cruising Spoke Bark Pioneer of Newbedford,, 28 months out,, 300 Sperm Middle and latter parts the same headding, S.E. Shifted Jib and Main topsail

Lat 39,,26. N. Long,, 39,,04. W.

Thursday September 1st

begins moderate winds and overcast headding S.E. employed repairing cask Middle and latter parts Strong,, S.E. winds and overcast with heavy sea headding,, S.E.,, employed repairing cask

Lat 38,,40,, N. Long,, 38,, 18. W.

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Friday September 2nd

this day begins fresh breezes from E N E bark on E tack Middle part the same latter part mordrate from S S E bark on E tack all sail set

Lat 38.50 N Long 37.27 W

Satterday September 3

the first part of this day mordrate wind from S S E and hazy bark on E tack Middle and latter part the same

Lat 40.08 N Long 36.19 W

Sunday September 4th

mordrate winds from S S E and hazy heading E middle part the same with squalls and rain latter part mordrat from S S W Steering S E with all sail

Lat 40.34 N Long 34.19 W

Monday September 5th

begins mordrate winds from W Steering S E Middle and latter parts the same picked up a Spar apparantly a large Brigentians mainmast broken off by the deck 71 feet long cut it up for wood very much eaten by worms

Lat 39.44 N Long 32.13 W

Tuesday September 6th

light winds and fine from W Steering S E employed cutting up the spar Middle and latter parts the same ends light at 8 AM the captain went on shore at Floras ends lying off and on

Sold 63 Gallons of Blackfish oil for 70 Cts cash

at Fayal

Remarks On Board Bark Ben Franklin

Wednesday September 7th
begins mordrate lying off and on for Potatoes and Onions at 5 P.M. the captaine came on board and steered to S.E. Middle and latter parts the same employed in ships duty Fayal bearing E.S.E. distant 35 miles

Thursday September 8th
begins with fresh breeze from N. Mira S.E. at 5 luf to wind to S the land bearing N.E. distant 15 miles Middle part much the same bark on different tacks latter part steering for Fayal at 9 A.M. Anchored in 20 fathoms of watter 51 fathoms chain the captaine went one shore

~~Wednesday~~ Friday September 9th
Mordrate winds and fine the cruisemen went on shore likewise the Starboard watch on liberty for forty eight hours middle and latter parts the same with some rain shiped a cabin Boy and sent him on board

Satterday September 10th
begins fine and light winds from N. Starboard watch on shore middle and latter parts the same the Starboard watch came on board 4 men absent

Sunday September 11th
begins fine and clear Larboard watch went on shore Middle and latter parts the same

Monday September 12th
light winds and fine larboard watch on sho
middle and latter part the same

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Tuesday September 13th
begins with light airs and fine Larboard watch cam on board nothing herd of the deserters Middle and latter parts the same

Wednesday September 14th
begins light winds and fine took on board our provisions and shooks from shore ship readdy for sea calm coud not get out Middle part calm at 5 light wind from N.W. and overcast took the Anchor and stood out of the roads leaving the captain on shore to Ketch the runaways

Thursday September 15th
Strong winds from N.W. and squally at 7 put two reefs in the topsails Middle and latter parts Strong gales from N.W. land in sight bark on different tacks took in foresail

Friday September 16th
begins with strong gales from N.W. bark on different tacks close reef fore and main topsail thick and rainey Middle part the the same bark on W. tack latter part Moderate land in sight bearing E, tack in shore wind N.N.E. and reefed at 11 A.M. all sail set

Satterday September 17th
Strong winds from N.N.E. and overcast bark on different tacks at 6 P.M. Fayal bearing E.N.E. distant 25 miles Middle part the same at 7 A.M. entered the roads end lying off and on

Remarks On Board Bark R. Franklin,

Sunday September 18th
begins light winds and fine at 1 P.M. the captain came on board breinging John Dillon James Wergate and Boocher the three Deserters set main royal and steered W S W middle and latter parts calm
Lat 38.32 N Long 28.39 W

Monday September 19th
light air from N W. lark on E, tack Pico in sight middle and latter parts calm three sail in sight fore islands but many whale and so ends this day
Lat 37.50 N Long 28.15 W

Tuesday September 20th
begins calm and clear breaking out for provision and watter Middle and latter parts much the same employed in Ships duty
Lat 38.22 N Long 28.34 W

Wednesday September 21st
begins with light air from W. steering E, N E, ~~E, S E~~ employed in Ships duty middle part the same latter steering E S E the cooper cut himself very bad while repairing a cask ends steering for Tercera

Thursday September 22
lying of and on the docter came on board and orderd the cooper to bee broug on Shore the boat came of the captain remained on Shore the cooper Brothe on Shore with him middle part the same at 8 A M the captain came on board ends gamming R L Barsta

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Friday September, 23,
begins calm and light airs from different points of compass gamming with R.L. Barto and brig Julia of Fayal middle and latter part strong winds and overcast bark on different tacks cruising of Whale Rock

Satterday September 24..
Strong winds and overcast saw porpo end, Much the same

Sunday September, 25th
Strong wind, from S. and overcast the captain went on shore to see how the cooper was getting along, found him gaining brought his brother on board sayd Bark Mary and Susan of Newbed. 25. dayes from home clean middle and latter parts strong winds and overcast

Monday September, 26th
Strong winds and overcast cruising of the rock spoke Bark Solon of New Bedford middle and latter parts light airs from, N.E. the captain went on shore to see the cooper gaining

Tuesday September, 27th
light winds and fine from N.E. cruising middle and latter part the same

Wednesday September, 28th
begins fine and clear saw killers middle and latter parts strong winds and overcast with squalls of rain

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin
Thursday September „29. th

Strong winds and squalley from N„E the captain went on Shore And sent the boat off himself remaining on shore bark on different tacks Middle and latter part Mordrate gals from N„E bark with two reefs in topsails and mainsail furled Strong current and heavy sea could not fetch the bort end squalley

Friday September „30„ th

begins with mordrate gale from N lying off and on under reef topsails and coarses jib and Spanker but sea rugged could not land at 5, PM, more mordrate set hole maintopsail to hold on Middle and latter parts more mordrate set all sail and beat up and sent a boat for the captain at 10„ AM came on board bringing the captain and cooper and stood to E.

Passed „a„ cask

Satterday October 1st

begins Strong wind from N heading to E. Spoke Solen middle and latter parts Strong winds and squalley passed St Micals„ distant 15 miles

Lat 38„00 N Long„ 24.39 W

Sunday October 2d

Strong winds and squalley Steering S.E. hole topsails and main topgallant sail Middle part the same latter part much the same Steering South

Lat 36„09 N Long 22„20 W

of New-bedford. S. T. Braley. master

Monday October .3.

this. 24. hours begins with strong winds and squally from ,, N W. steering S. with all drawing sail set middle and latter parts much the same saw killers

Lat. 33.25. N Long. 21.05. W

Passed a cask

Tuesday October 4th

mordrate winds and heavy sea steering S saw grampuses and a cask supposed palm oil middle and latter parts mordrate and fine with passing clouds steering ,, S.

Lat. 31.30. N. Long. 20.10. W

Wednesday October 5th

begins fine and pleasant from W. steering south with all sail set the cooper gaining three men forward on sick list middle and latter parts squally

Lat. 30.15. N Long. 19.11. W

Samuel Oliver off duty with cold

Thursday October 6th

begins strong winds from W. steering S. at 4 P. M. steering S W. squally from W. & N. W. two reefs in the topsail middle and latter parts mordrate set all sail the canary Islands in sight to eastward

Lat. 28.37. N. Long. 18.38. W

Friday October 7th

begins mordrate winds and fine from N. W. steering S S. W. with all drawing sail set several sail in sight the sick gaining middle part the same latter strong winds from N. E. and overcast steering S. S. E. all sail set

Lat. 26.44. N. Long. 18.37. W

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin

Satterday October „8„ th

this day begins with mordrate winds from N E, and overcast Steering S.S.E. middle part the same latter part light airs and fine from „N.E„ steering„ S.E„

Lat„25„24„ N — Long„ 17„48„ W

Sunday October, 9, th

light airs from E. steering„ S.E. all sail set nothing in sight middle and latter parts calm three sick men on duty

Lat„25„08 N. Long„ 17.58„ W

Monday
~~Wednesday~~ October„10„ th

begins calm and clear one sail in sight middle and latter parts light airs and calm employed repairing spare topsail

Lat„ Long

Tuesday October „11„ th

light airs and fine finished spare topsail and bent it middle part calm latter part light winds from „S.W„ bark on E. tack repair old jib

Lat 24.35. N. — Long„ 17.55. W

Wednesday October .12 th

begins mordrate winds and clear from S.W. bark on E. tack finished jib and bent it middle part calm latter part light and fine saw Blackfish got one

Lat 24.16. N. Long 17.44.. W

Thursday October „13„ th

light and fine nothing in sight middle and latter parts much the same two merchant Ships in sight

Lat 24„00 N. Long„ 17.42„ W

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of Newbedford, S. T. Braley, Master

Friday October 14th
this day begins with light airs from W. and
fine headding to southward boiling Blackfish
Middle and latter parts the same
Lat. 22.40. N. Long. 17.37. W

Satterday October 15th
Moderate winds from W. and clear bark
headding to S.W. all sail set Middle and
latter parts light airs and fine from
W.N.W. Bark on different tacks
Lat. 22.10 N. Long. 18.02. W

Sunday October 16th
fine and clear from W.N.W. Bark on
different tacks Middle and latter parts
much the same nothing worthy of remark
Lat. 21.50. N. Long. 17.34. W

Monday October 17th
begins light and fine from W.N.W. bark
on different tacks saw Blackfish got 4.
middle and latter parts calm saw Blackfish
and got 10 so ends this day
Lat 22.00. N. Long. 18.15. W

Tuesday October 18th
begins with light winds from N.N.W.
and clear steering S W with all drawing
sail set Middle and latter parts the
same employed Boiling Blackfish
Lat 20.34. N. Long. 18.37. W

Remarks„ On board„ Bark„ R„ Franklin

Wednesday October „ 19 th

mordrate wind from E. saw Blackfish and got „3„ ends Steering „ S W. Boiling middle part the same ends the same saw Blackfish did not lower

Lat. 19. 00 N. Long„ 19„ 00 W

Thursday October „20„ th

begins with fresh breezes from N E. Steering W„ by„ S finished Boiling middle and latter parts the same very rugged

Lat„ 17. 13„ N. Long„ 20„ 45„ W

Friday October „21 st

strong„ N E„ trade and rugged Steering W„ by„ S nothing in sight middle part the same steering S by W latter part strong trades Steering„ S S E„ all sail set

Lat„ 15„ 5„ N. Long „ 20„ 20„ W

Satterday October „22 d

mordrate wind from „ N E„ and hazy Steering„ S S„ E„ all sail set middle and latter parts much the same employed stoing down Blackfish oil

Lat. 13, 24. N. Long„ 18„ 44„ W

Sunday October „23„ d

begins with mordrate winds from N E and hazy Steering„ S S E with all drawing sail set middle and latter parts the same got „3„ Blackfish ends steering S by W

Lat. 12.38. N. Long„ 18„ 27 W

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of Newbedford, S. T. Braley, Master

Monday October 24th
begins light airs and fine from N. E.
steering S. S. W. got one Blackfish middle
and latter part the same spoke the
Bark "Gem" of Salem crew down
sick with African fever bound home
gave them some Potatoes and onions
Lat. 12.00 N. Long. 18.34 W

Tuesday October 25th
light airs and fine from N. E. steering
S. S. W. employed in ships duty Middle and
latter part light variable winds bark on
different tack employed Repairing Spanker
and Boiling Blackfish one sail in sight
Lat. 10.47 N. Long. 18.28 W

Wednesday October 26th
this day begins light variable airs and calm
bark on different tacks finished Boiling and
finished and bent the spanker Middle part
calm ends much the same employed repairing
the mainsail all the sick men on duty
Lat. 10.44 N. Long. 18.01 W.

Thursday October 27th
light variable airs and calm and overcast
Bark on different tacks saw finbacks repairing
mainsail Middle and latter parts the same
at work on mainsail,
Lat. 9.50 N. Long. 17.36 W

Friday October 28th
begins with light airs from E. and calm steering
S. S. E. at work on mainsail middle part light
and squally ends the same at work on
mainsail one sail in sight
Lat. 8.20 N. Long. 17.26 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Satterday October 29th
light baffleing winds from S.E. to S.W. bark
on differint tacks finised and bent the
mainsail some squalls Middle and latter
parts Mugh the same one sail in sight
Lat 8.50 N Long 17.12 W

Sunday October 30th
begins with mordrate winds from N.E.
bark on S. tack all sail set nothing in sight
middle and latter parts Much the same
Lat 7.50 N Long 16.40 W

Monday October 31st
begins light airs and calm from N.E. with
passing clouds at 4 P.M. light wind from S
bark headding E. all sail set Middle and
latter parts light variables and calm
Lat 7.48 N Long 15.59 W

Tuesday November 1st
this day begins calm employed in ships
duty at 4 P.M. light winds from W.S.W.
Steering S.E. middle and latter parts
light airs and calm repairing fore top gallant
sail one sail in sight
Lat 7.44 N Long 15.12 W

Wednesday November 2d
light S.E. wind and overcast finished
and bent the top gallant sail middle
and latter parts much the same
employed repairing the foresail one
sail in sight
Lat 7.40 N Long 14.36 W

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Of Newbedford„ S„ T„ Braley„ Master

Thursday November„ 3.rd

light variable and calm employed repairing Foresail middle and latter parts calm Finished and bent the foresail

Lat„ 7„ 33„ N Long„ 14.48„ W

Friday November„ 4„ th

calm and overcast employed in ships dut middle and latter parts light airs from W Steering South employed in ships duty

Lat„ 7„ 10„ N„ Long 14„ 27„ W

Satterday November„ 5 th

begins with very light airs from the„ W headding South all sail set nothing in sight Middle and latter light variable winds from W to SW„ bark on different Tacks employed in ship duty

Lat„ 6„ 54 N. Long„ 14„ 01„ W

Sunday November„ 6„ th

light variable winds and overcast bark on differ Tacks employed in ships duty Middle part the same latter part squalley from E with rain Steering S no Observation

Monday November„ 7„ th

light winds from W headding to South middle and latter parts light variable airs and Much rain so ends this day

Lat„ 6„ 02 N Long„ 12„ 34„ W

Tuesday November 8 th

begins with light winds from„ SW headding southward nothing in sight middle and latter part winds„ W Steering by wind ~~S„ S„ W~~ S„ S„ W saw finbacks and Porpois

Lat 5„ 10„ N Long„ 12„ 12„ W

Remarks. On Board. Bark. B. Franklin

Wednesday November 9th
begins light airs from W. and overcast
Bark on S. tack all sail set Middle and
latter part wind S. S. W. headding S. S. E.
employed in ships duty nothing in sight
Lat. 4. 25. N. Long. 11. 16. W

Thursday November 10th
this day begins with mordrate wind from
W. S W. headding Se. by S Middle and
latter parts mordrate wind from
S. S. W. Bark on different tacks
Lat. 3. 47. N. Long. 10 25. W

Friday November 11th
this day begins mordrate from S. S. W.
Bark on E. tack Middle and latter
parts mordrate wind from S W. and
squalley employed in ships duty
Lat. 3. 40. N. Long. 8. 50. W

Satterday November 12th
Mordrate winds from S W. and
overcast on E. tack employed in
fitting rigging Middle and latter
parts the same saw plenty finbacks
Lat 3. 41. N. Long 7. 36. W

Sunday November 13th
Mordrate wind from S. bark on
different tacks fitting rigging
Middle and latter parts light variable
winds from S. to S. S. E. bark on
eastern tack nothing in sight
Lat 3. 40. N. Long 6. 41. W

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of New bedford. S. Ty. Braley, Master

Monday November 14th
this day begins with light variable
winds and overcast from Southward bark
on E. tack Middle part the same
latter part fresh breeze from S S W
headding S E. employed in ships duty
Lat 3.30 N Long 4.44 W

Tuesday November 15th
begins fresh wind from S S W. bark
on E. tack nothing in sight Middle
and latter part the same employed
breaking out after hatch and filling
salt watter saw finback,
Lat 3.05 N Long 3.05 W

Wednesday November 16th
this day begins mordrate wind from W
headding S. finished the After hatch
middle part the same
Lat 2.10 N Long 1.57 W

Thursday November 17th
this day mordrate wind from S W
headding S S E. employed in ships
duty Middle and latter part the
same employed repairing the old
Larboard Boat ends overcast
Lat 1.28 N Long 1.01 W

Friday November 18th
this day begins light wind from
W S W headding South repairing
Boat Middle part the same latter
part light winds from S S W. saw
Blackfish got one so ends
Lat 00.40 Long 00.12 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Satturday November 19th
this day begins with mordrate wind and clear from S.S.W. employed in repairing Boat Middle and latter part the same endy overcast
Lat. 00.00. Long. 1.09. East

Sunday November 20th
Mordrate wind and overcast finish Boat ready for painting middle and latter parts light winds from S. at 7 A.M. tack to Westward so end,
Lat. 00. 8. S. Long 1. 54. E.

Monday November 21st
this day begins with mordrate wind and overcast from S, bark on different tacks saw finback Middle and latter parts Mordrate wind and overcast from S.S.W heading S.E. Boiling Blackfish
Lat. 00. 8. S Long. 03. 4. East

Tuesday November 22nd
this day begins with fresh breeze from S.S.W. and overcast heading S.E. with all sail set saw a Brig heading to W. with all sail set and a Steamer in chase of her with Sails and Steam
Boarded the Barque Benjamin Franklin of New Bedford, found every correct. (No complaints) Lieut E. D. Ackum
HMS Griffon

Middle and latter part strong wind and overcast employed breaking out main and fore hatch so end,
Lat. Long.

of New bedford, S. T. Braley master

Wednesday November 23 d
Strong winds from S.S.W. headding SE overcast and squalley breaking out fore hatch Middle and latter parts Moderate winds from S.S.W. headding SE employed in Ships duty so end,
Lat. 00.22 S. Long 5.28 W.

Thursday November 24 th
Moderate winds and fine from S.S.W. employed Painting Boat at 4 P. M Anabon S b E. distant 66 miles Barque headding S.E. Middle part the same at 6 A.M. St Thomas bearing E. distant 40 miles Annabon in Sight on the weather beam and a steamer

Friday November 25 th
this day begins light winds from S.W. bark on E. tack nothing in sight Middle and latter parts light winds from W.S.W. headding S. Nothing in sight
Lat. 00.50 S Long 6.52 E.

Satterday November 26 th
light winds and fine from W. S.W. and overcast Barque on S. tack Middle and latter parts Much the same ends overcast
Lat. 1.50 S Long 7.20 E.

Sunday November 27 th
this day begins with fresh breeze from S.S.W. Barque on W tack Middle part light winds and overcast headding W. latter part the same steering W.N.W. at 10 A.M. saw Annabon distant 35 miles ends steering for the land
Lat. 1.34 S. Long 6.00 E.

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Barque„ B„ Frank

Monday November „28„ th
this day begins with mordrate winds
from S„W. Steering for the land at„8
P„M„ Anchored in Annabon in„4„ fathom
of watter furled sails and set the watch
Middle part calm latter light winds and
fine employed getting watter and wood

Island„ of„ Annabona

Tuesday November „29„ th
begins fine employed wooding and
wattering Middle and latter parts
the same

Wednesday November„30„ th
this day Strong winds from„SW finished
getting wood Middle part calm latter
part light winds from„SW at„8„AM
took the Anchor and Steared to„SS„E
Lat„1.30„ S Long„ 6.00„ E

Thursday ~~November~~ December„1„ st
begins mordrate winds from„SW
and overcast heading to„SS„E Middle
and latter parts the Sam
Lat„2.00„ S Long„7„07„ E

Friday December 2 st
this day begins with strong winds from
south at„4„ P„M„ tack to west Middle
and latter parts light winds and overcast
employed in Ships duty so ends
this day on W tack at„12„ oclock
tack to„SE„ nothing in sight
Lat„2.42. S Long„7.07„ E

Satterday December 3d
this day begins mordrate from S S W headding S S E Middle and latter part headding S by E light winds
Lat 2.46 S Long 7.54 E

Sunday December 4th
Mordrate winds from S S W and overcast bark on E tack Middle and latter part headding to S W
Lat 3.16 S Long 8.24 E

Monday December ~~4~~ 5th
begins calm at 4 P M mordrate winds from S S W bark on E tack middle latter part the same nothing in sight
Lat 3.27 S Long 9.19 E

Tuesday December 6th
light winds and squally barque on differ tacks saw a Schooner with more spars than sails on different tacks also at dark headding in shore Middle part the same latter part mordrate from S tack to S E so ends this day Mr Willson off duty sick
Lat 4.06 S Long 9.38 E

Wednesday December 7th
begins with fresh breezes from South barque on E tack a sunset took in light sails and tacked to W middle and latter part the same and overcast cruising but saw nothing put the old boat on the cranes for luck
Lat 4.26 S Long 9.08 East

Remarks" On" Board" Barque" B. Franklin

Thursday December 8 th
Mordrate winds from S. and overcast
nothing in sight ends the same
Lat,4,40 S Long" 9,18, E

Friday December 9th
begins with mordrate winds and
overcast nothing in sight " Mr" Wilson
gaining ends the same saw Grampuses
and a Sail
Lat" Long"

Satterday December 1.0. th
begins light airs and calm a barque
in sight to N.E" ends light and
overcast got two Blackfish
Lat" 4,35" S Long" 9,43" E

Sunday December, 11. th
begins light winds and overcast
saw grampuses ends much the same
Mr Wilson som better
Lat. 4.40" S Long" 9.31. E

Monday December, 12, th
light winds and overcast on different
tacks nothing in sight middle and
latter part the same Boiling Blackfish
Lat. 4.30" S Long" 9.11. E

Tuesday December" 13. th
Mordrate winds and overcast with
rain saw Blackfish did not get any
middle and latter parts much
the same Mr Willson on duty
Lat" 4.10" Long" 9 47. E

of,, Newbedford,, S,,T,, Braley,, Master

Wednesday December ,,14. th
this day begins light winds and squall
of rain nothing worthey of note to bee
seen Middle and latter part the same
Mr,, Henry sick,, so ends
Lat,,4.20,, S Long,, 9.39. E

Thursday December ,15. th
Mordeate winds and overcast with rain
Spoke Bark Anawan Middle and
latter parts strong winds from S W
bark on different tacks light sails in
Lat,4,24, S Long,, 8.17. E

Friday December ,16. th
begins Strong winds and overcast
nothing to bee seen ,,Henry,, no better
Middle and latter parts much the same
Anawan Steering to Westward
Lat,,4,43. S Long,, 8,15. E

Satterday December ,17. th
begins with mordrate wind and fine saw
Algereans. Mr Henry,, some better end,
the same cooper sick and off duty
Lat,, 5,10. S Long,, 8,50. E

Sunday December ,18, th
begins fine and clear nothing in sight
the sick men no better ends the same
Lat, 5,,54,, S Long,, 10,,3 E

Monday December ,19,, th
fine and clear plenty of small fry but
nothing to make oil the sick men the same
middle and latter parts the same
Lat,, 6,00 S Long,, 10,19,, E

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Barque„ B„ Franklin

Tuesday December„ 20„ th
begins light winds from„ S W. and hazy, nothing in sight the sick men no better end, the same
Lat„ 5,40„ S Long„ 8,23„ E

Wednesday December, 21, th
this day begins with fresh breeze from S W. bark on different tacks all sail set shifting grounds saw finbacks middle and latter parts strong winds and overcast with heavy sea light sails in employed making rattling stuff
Lat„ 6,00, S Long„ 8,09„ E

Thursday December„ 22„ d
this day begins strong, S W, winds and overcast with heavy sea employed in ships duty the sick men no better end, the same
Lat„ 6,26, S Long, 9„ 05„ E„

Friday December„ 23„ d
begins strong winds and overcast nothing in sight ends much the same saw a finback the cooper some better Mr Hoy no better
Lat„ 6,50. S Long„ 9,54, E

Satturday December, 24 th
strong winds and fine saw finbacks middle and latter parts much the same Barque on Different Tacks
Lat„ 7,24„ S Long„ 9,57, E
the sick no better

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of New bedford. S. T. Braley Master

Sunday December 25th
this day begins with fresh breeze from S.W.
and clear barque on E. tack saw a finback.
Middle and latter parts the same
Lat. 8.04 S Long. 11.47 E

Monday December 26th
these 24 hours begins with moderate breeze
from S.W. and clear the sick about the same
Middle and latter parts Much the same
Lat. 8.19 S Long. 12.00 E.

Tuesday December 27th
wind Southward and clear barque on E.
tack all sail set Middle and latter parts
thickly overcast wind light barque on different
tacks the invalids no better.
Lat. 8.47 S. Long. 11.41 E.

Wednesday December 28th
this day begins fine and light winds from
Southward barque on W. tack. Middle
and latter parts Much the same
Lat. 8.52 S Long. 10.14 E.

Thursday December 29th
begins with strong winds and hazy barque
on W. tack the sick gaining slowly Middle
and latter parts the same employed in ships
duty Lat. 9.30 S. Long. 8.15 E

Friday December 30th
begins strong winds and overcast heading
to westward Middle part hazy latter
part clear and fine nothing in sight
Lat. 10.02 S Long. 6.12 East

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Barque,, R,, Franklin

Satterday December ,31,, st

this day begins Strong winds from S,S,W and fine barque on ,W,tack Middle and latter parts the same with overcast Soends this day,, month aweak and year

Lat,, 10,34,, South Long,, 4,,34,, East

Sunday January ,1,, st A,, 1865

this day begins strong winds from, S,S,W, and overcast bark on ,W, tack nothing in sight Middle part the same latter part clear on,,E,tack

Lat,,10,55, S Long, 4, 17,, East

Monday January ,2,

Strong winds and overcast from ,S, barque on E, tack the sick are better Middle and latter parts light airs and overcast nothing stiring so ends, the sick on duty again

Lat, 10,54,, S Long,, 4,53, E

Tuesday January 3,

begins light winds from, S W and overcast barque on E, tack Middle and latter parts the same employed in ships duty

Lat,10,,47, S,, Long,, 5,, 52, E

Wednesday January ,4, th

light winds and fine barque on, E, tack nothing in sight Middle and latter parts much the same enployed in ships duty

Lat,,11,12,, S Lat,, 6,56,, E

Thursday January 5, th

light winds and fine bark on E tack enployed in fitting rigging Middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight

Lat,11,22, S Long,, 8,15, E

of New bedford, S. T. Braley Master

Friday January 6th

this day begins with light wind from S.S.W and clear bark on E. tack middle and latter parts much the same fitting rigging

Lat. 11.30. S. Long. 8.55. E

Satterday January 7th

this day begins with fine weather and light winds from S.S.W. barque on E. tack saw porpois Middle and latter part the same employed in ships duty making Spunyarn and fitting rigging nothing in sight so ends this day

Lat. 11.44. S. Long. 10.07. E

Sunday January 8th

begins light airs and fine from S.S.W. barque on E. tack Middle part light winds from S.W. latter part calm so ends this day

Lat. 12.10. S Long. 10.44. E.

Monday January 9th

this day begins calm at 4 P.M. light winds from S.W. barque on E. tack Middle and latter part much the same employed in ships duty

Lat. 12.28. S Long. 11.40. E

Tuesday January 10th

this day begins light wind from W. heading S saw porpoises middle part the same at 6 saw the land distant 30 miles tack of shore ends the same employed in ships duty Splicing and setting up mizzen rigging

Lat. 13.00. S Long. 11.50. E

Remarks,, On,, Board,, Barque,, B,, Franklin
Wednesday January ,,11,, th
this day begins with strong winds from ,,S W, and Steer bark on E tack saw a finback Middle part the same latter part calm land in sight so ends this day
Lat,,13,30,, S Long,12,17, E

Thursday January ,,12,, th
this day begins light winds from W barque on, S tack land, 15, miles distant ,,middle part the same barque on different tack latter part calm and hazy so ends this day
Lat,,14, 00 S Long,, 12,,01,, E

Friday January,13, th
light airs from, W and hazy on different tacks middle part the same latter calm
Lat,,14,12,, S Long,, 11,59,, E

Satterday January ,,14, th
begins with light airs from westward headding,,S W, a Steamer passed to,, S E Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks ends hazy
Lat 15, 00, S Long,, 12, 03, E

Sunday January ,15, th
light winds from S W, and hazy headding in shore at 3, P.M. tack off shore land ,5 miles distant Middle and latter parts much the same bark on different tack so ends this day
Lat 15, 06 S Long,,

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of New Bedford S. T. Braley Master

Monday January 16th
this day begins light winds from S.W. bark heading for Little Fish bay where we came to Anchor at 8 P.M. in 7 fathoms watter ends fine and pleasant the captain on Shore

Tuesday January 17th
this day light wind and fine middle and latter parts the same John Dillow Swam on Shore in the night

Wednesday January 18th
begins calm and clear Sold Spare Lumber drift wood and other Spare Spars and 7 bbls ends the same Starboard Watch on Shore

Thursday January 19th
begins light and fine Starboard watch on shore got some fresh Beef from Shore ends same Larboard watch on Shore

Friday January 20th
fine and clear delivered 6 casks on Shore at 8 P.M. all came on board ends the same Larboard watch all came on board got raft of watter

Satterday January 21st
fine weather employed Stoing watter middle and latter parts the same recieved on board some of the potatoes

Sunday January 22d
begins fine recieved on board the remainder of the potatoes Onions Shugar and benan.nars overhauled Shieves in fore and main topmasts heads ends the same Some of the men on Shore

Little Fish Bay

Remarks" On" Board" Barque" B" Franklin

Monday January "23" d

light and fine at 6" P.M." the men came on board ends the same some potatoes and some Pumpkins came on board

Tuesday January ,24 th

begins fine and clear the captain on Shore at 9 ,P.M, captain came on board Middle part the same at 7" A.M" took the Anchor and steered N W, so,ends,

Lat 15, 00" S Long" 11,27" E

Wednesday January ,25 th

this day begins with fresh breeze from W,S W and clear bark on W tack all sail set Middle and latter parts the same saw finbacks and grampuses

Lat" 14.50" S Long" 10" 6" E

Thursday January ,26, th

fine W S W heading to westward saw finbacks Middle part the same latter part light winds from all points of compas

Lat" 14.30 S Long" 8,34" E

Friday January ,27, th

begins with light winds from" S S" W barque on ,W tack and overcast Middle and latter parts light variable airs and calm

Lat" 14.48" S, Long" 7.39 E"

Satterday January 28 th

begins light airs and calm employed in ships duty Middle and latter parts much the same nothing in sight

Lat" 14.55" S" Long" 6,39" E

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of, Newbedford, S, T, Braley, Master

Sperm Whales at last

Sunday, January 29th
this day begins with light variable winds and overcast Steering to W. Middle part the same ends with mordrate trades Steering W by N all sail set saw porpoises
Lat 15.20 S Long 5.15 E

Monday January 30th
this day begins with mordrate trades Steering W by N Middle and latter parts the same Steering W b W all sail set so ends
Lat 15.30 S Long 2.21 E

Tuesday January 31st
Strong trades and overcast Steering W b W Middle and latter parts the same Strong and squally at 8 A.M. saw whales to windward luff to wind took in light sails made several tacks in hopes to get to windward but without success loared two boats struck and got one whale so end,
Lat 15.36 S Long Meridean

Wednesday February the 1st
this day begins Strong wind and heavy sea employed cutting at 5 finished left the head along side got clear set the watch cutting blubber Middle and latter parts the same took in the head and cleared it away and prepaired for boiling so ends thick
Lat 15.18 S Long

Thursday Febuary 2nd
Strong winds and overcast Boiling middle and latter parts the same wore ship to N under topsails ends the same
Lat 15.25 S Long 00.31 W

Remarks On Board Barque B. Franklin

Friday Febuary 3rd

this day begins with mordrate trades steering to westward under topsails Boiling middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 15. 25. S. Long. 1. 27. West

Satterday Febuary 4th

this 24 hours begins calm and clear Boiling and Stoing down oil Middle and latter parts light trades at 10 P.M. finished Boiling so ends this day nothing in sight

Lat. 15. 48. S Long. 2. 51. W

Sunday Febuary 5th

this day mordrate winds and clear finished Stoing oil and washed ship middle and latter parts the same steering W by N

Lat. 16. 12. S Long. 4. 41. W

Monday Febuary 6th

light winds and fine Steering W N W at 7 P.M. took in sail luft to wind heading S W St Hellena bearing N W distant 40 miles middle and latter parts much the same ends Steering for the land

St. Helena

Tuesday Febuary 7th

this day begins with mordrate trades and fine at 2 A.M. came to anchor St Helean when the captain found out that his Regester is left in Fish Bay middle and latter parts the same sold some potatoes and recieved 800 pounds of Bread on board

Wednesday Febuary 8th

fine employed Painting Boats middle and latter parts the same employed fitting rigging Starboard watch on shore

[123] A.D 18„65

of„ Newbedford„ S„ T„ Braley„ Master

Thursday Febuary 9th
this day begins fine employed fitting rigging Middle and latter parts the same Larboard watch on shore and the Starboard watch fitting rigging and Painting Boat

Friday Febuary„ 10th
this day begins fine and calm ends the same

Satterday Febuary „11„ th
this day begins fine and clear all hands on board middle and latter parts the same

Sunday
~~Satterday~~ Febuary „12„ th
this day begins light and fine at 2„ P.M„ went on shore the captain wished me to take the Anchor and cruise for two dayes at 6„ P.M„ took the Anchor and stood to„ N.E middle part the same land 30„ miles distant latter part mordrate barque on different tacks

Monday
~~Sunday~~ Febuary 13th
this day fresh trades bark on different tacks at 6„ P.M. took in light sail land bearing„ W.S.W distant 45„ miles middle and latter parts much the same nothing in sight but land

Tuesday Febuary 14th
begins mordrate winds and fine land bearing„ S W„ distant 40 miles middle part the same latter part steering for the land at 9. A.M„ sent in the boat for the captain ends lying off and on St Helena

Sold„ 30„ gallons„ of„ Blackfish„ oil
for„ 50„ cents„ per„ gallon

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Barque„ B„ Franklin

Sent„ home 2„434 Gallons oil by Barque„ Mary Frazier

Wednesday Febuary .15. th„

this day begins with Strong trades at 1. P.M. the captain came on board and took the bark in and came to Anchor to reship our oil to the bark „Mary Frazier„ employed hoisting out and coopering the same Middle and latter parts the same finished dischargeing the oil

Thursday Febuary .16. th,

this day begins strong trades and clear employed breaking out and setting up shooks to Sto in the ground to fill with watter middle and latter parts the same

Friday Febuary .17. th

begins fine employed hagging and stoing cask middle and latter parts the same received on board our watter so ends

Satterday Febuary .18. th

light airs and fine middle part the same at 7. A.M. the captain came on board took the Anchor and Stood to N.E Shiped a Boatsteer „Oliver Cromwell„

Sunday Febuary „19„ th

this day begins with Strong trades head N.E„ middle and latter parts the same barque on different tacks

Lat„15„56„ S Long„4.53. W

Monday Febuary „20 th

Strong trades barque on „S, tack all sail set, middle and latter parts winds light barque on different tacks the Island still in sight

Lat„16.30„ S Long„ 5„09„ W

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of New bedford S, T, Braley Master

Tuesday February 21st
this day begins with light wind, and fine barque on different tacks island in sight middle and latter parts strong trades barque on E, tack light sails in
Lat 16.12 S Long 4.10 W

Wednesday February 22d
this day begins with strong trades and overcast bark on E, tack light sails in middle and latter parts mordrate bark on different tacks
Lat 16.20 S Long 3.37 W

Thursday February 23d
this day begins with light winds and fine barque on S, tack middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight
Lat 17.34 S Long 4.03 W

Friday February 24th
this day begins with mordrate trades barque on S, tack middle and latter parts strong winds and squalls light sails in
Lat 19.06 S Long 4.37 W

Satterday February 25th
Strong trades and squalls with heavy sea barque on S, tack light sails in middle and latter parts the same repairing Main Topsail
Lat 20.36 S Long 4.59 W

Sunday February 26th
Strong trades and overcast finished and bent maintopsail middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight
Lat 22.16 S Long 5.09 W

Remarks On Board Barque B. Franklin

Monday Feberuary 27th
this day begin with mordrate trades and clear barque on, S, tack middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight
Lat 23..45. S. Long 5.03. W

Tuesday Feberuary 28th
begins with mordrate trades and fine barque on southern tack middle and latter parts much the same
Lat 25..04. S Long 5..10 W

Wednesday March 1st
light trades and fine nothing in sight barque on, S, tack middle and latter parts much the same
Lat 26.00. S Long 5.15. W

Thursday March 2nd
this day light airs from SE. barque on southern tack saw a grampus middle and latter parts nearly calm employed repairing rotten casks
Lat 26,30, S Long 5.34. W

Friday March 3d
this day begins with light SE. airs and fine headding to southward middle part the same latter part light winds from E b S E headding S E all sail set employed repairing casks pleasant but nothing in sight
Lat 27.08. S Long 4.48 W

Satterday March 4th
light and fine from E S E headding S E middle and latter parts the same steering S E saw Porpoises so ends
Lat 27.32. S Long 3.49. W

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of Newbedford,, S. T,, Braley,, Master

Sunday March ,,5, th

this day begins with light airs from N, and clear Steering ,E,S E,, all sail set. Middle parts the same latter part light airs and variable from, E,N E,, to W, and clear

Lat,,27.30,, S Long,,2,,55,, W

Monday March ,6. th

begins with light variable airs from, E,N E to W. Steering E,S E, all sail set Middle parts the same latter parts wind hauled to south and squally light sails in steering E,,S E,,

Lat,27,26. S Long,,1,,15,, W

Tuesday March,7. th

this day begins with light airs from, S E, Middle and latter parts much the same

Lat,,27.02, S Long,,00,,28, W

Wednesday March, 8, th

this day light wind and variable from S E, to E,N E,, barque headding,,S E,, Middle and latter parts the same

Lat,,27,,34. S Long,,00 26,, East

Thursday March .9. th,

this day begins light winds from N, steering E,N E all sails set Middle part the same ends calm nothing in sight

Lat,,27,,20. S Long,1.00, East

Friday March ,10, th

begins calme and clear saw Porpoises Middle and latter parts much the same with light winds from the ,,N N, E headding to E,,N E,, so ends,

Lat,27,07. S Long,,1,, 46,, E

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Barque„ B„ Franklin

Satterday March. 11„ th

this day begins with light winds from N. N. E„ headding„ E„ N. E„ Middle and latter parts the same so ends

Lat„ 27„ 00„ S Long„ 2„ 53„ E

Sunday March „12„ th

light winds from N. and clear steering to. N E„ Middle and latter parts calm with light flaws from all points of the compass so ends

Lat. 26. 50„ S Long„ 3„ 22. E

Monday March„ 13. th

begins calm at. 5. P. M. light airs from W„ S W. Steering E. Middle part the same latter part wind. S W. Steering E

Lat„ 26. 00, S, Long. 4„ 41„ E

Tuesday March„ 14„ th

Mordrate breezes from „S W. Steering E. Saw a Whaling Barque steering to, N E. with Studing sails set Middle and latter parts Strong winds and squalley from S, Steering E, by, N. light sails in so ends this day

Lat„ 24. 16„ S. Long„ 6„ 50„ E

Wednesday March. 15. th

Strong winds from S. and squalley and thick all sail set except Fore top gallant sail Middle and latter parts much the same nothing in sight

Lat„ 22. 56„ S Long„ 7. 54„ E

of„ Newbedford„ S„ T„ Braley„ Master

Thursday March „16„ th

this day begins with mordrate trades and overcast Steering to eastward middle and latter parts the same

Lat„21„58. S Long„ 9. 57„ E

Friday March .17. th

this day begins mordrate winds from S. and hazy steering eastward at night took in sail and luff to the wind set Boats crew watches middle part the same latter part on E„ tack

Lat 21„15. South„ Long„10„28. East

Satterday March„ .18. th

Mordrate winds from S, and overcast on E. tack. saw Porpoises Struck and drew„ Middle part the same latter parts cruising eastward saw finbacks so ends

Lat 20„40. S„ Long„ 11„ 03. E„

Sunday March„19„ th

Strong winds from„ S S,W. and overcast saw nothing took in sail at sunset middle part the same latter part looking for nothing so ends this day

Lat„19.18„ S Long„ 11„ 20„ E.

Monday March„20. th

Mordrate winds from S, and overcast heading to„ N E„ middle and latter parts the same

Lat„17„30„ S Long„ 10 57„ E

Tuesday March „21„ th

Mordrate winds from S W, and overcast steering N E„ by„ E, middle and latter parts the same steering E„ saw finbacks

Lat„15„46„ S Long„11„19„ East

Remarks" On" Board" Barque" B" Franklin

Wednesday March" 22" d
this day begins with light winds from" S W and clear steering E" saw finbacks Middle and latter parts calm
Lat" 15" 16" S — Long" 12" 08" E

Thursday March" 23" d
this day begins fine with light winds from W" S W" steering to E" at 2 P M" saw the land to" N E" at" 4" P M" luff to South and took in light sails Middle and latter parts the same ends steering for Little fish Bay
Lat" 15" 13" S Long" 12" 32" chron

Little" Fish" Bay

Friday March" 24" th
begins with light airs from" S W" steering for the bay at" 4" P M" came to Anchor in the bay and the captain went on shore for the ships Register taken from the box two months ago at the custom house and not returned with the other paper Middle and latter parts the same setting up rigging

Satterday March 25" th
begins fine and clear Middle and latter parts the same so ends this day

Sunday March 26 th
fine the captain send on board the potatoes the ship readdy for sea at 8 P M the captain came on board with the papers and at 5" A M" took the Anchor and steered to N W" by the wind ends with fresh breezes from S W" and overcast
Lat" 14" 50" S Long" 11" 15" E

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of Newbedford„ S„ B„ Braley„ Master

Monday March „27„ th
begins fresh breeze from S W„ and overcast bark on „W„ tack light sails in at night took in sail set boats crew watches Middle part the same split the jib latter part much the same employed repairing up jib
Lat„14„58„ S Long„ 9„24„ E

Tuesday March „28„ th
this day begins strong winds from„ S W and overcast barke on W tack Middle and latter parts the same employed breaking out provisions so ends
Lat„15„06„ S„ Long„ 7. 34„ E,

Wednesday March .29„ th
mordrate winds from „W„S W„ and overcast bark on .W. tack Middle and latter parts the same at „9. A M„ saw Sperm Whales got one took him along side boats chaseing no observations Long 6. 30. E

Sperm„ Whale,

Thursday March „30 th
light airs and fine at .2„ P M„ took up the Boats and cut in the whale at „6 finished cutting and set the watch heading to „E„ Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks boiling saw Killers and grampuses and Porpoises so ends this day
Lat„14„56 S. Long„ 6. 30. E

Friday ~~Wednesday~~ March .31. st
begins with mordrate winds from south and fine bark on .W. tack saw plenty Porpoises middle and latter parts Much the same ends overcast bark on different tacks boiling nothing in sight
Lat„14„56„ S Long„ 7„ 19„ East

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Satterday ~~Thursday~~ April 1. st

this day begins with light winds and overcast from S.W. bark on differgut tacks boiling light squalls of rain Middle and latter parts the same at 8. A.M. finished boiling so ends

Lat 15. 12. S Long 6. 30. E

Sunday April 2. d

fresh breezes from S.W. and overcast bark on different tacks employed repairing Larboard boat finished and put her on the cranes Middle and latter parts the same with squalls of rain steering W. light sails in

Lat 15. 42. S. Long 4. 53. E

Monday April 3. d

Strong wind and squalls of rain from S.W. steering to W. light sails in Middle and latter parts the same employed stowing down oil.

Lat 17. 46. S. Long 4. 35. E

Tuesday April 4. th

begins strong winds and rugged headding to W. light sails in finished stowing oil and washed ship at sunset tacked to S.E. Middle part the same latter part steering N.W.

Lat 16. 00. S Long 3. 04. E

Wednesday April 5. th

Mordrate winds from S.S.E. steering N.W. at sunset headding S.W. Middle and latter parts the same headding W.S.W.

Lat 16. 48 S. Long ~~3. 04~~. E
2. - 00 E

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of New bedford. A. T. Braley. Master

Thursday April . 6. th

this day begins strong winds and overcast headding to N.W. S.W. nothing in sight middle and latter parts the same spoke Bark Falcon of New bedford. 32. months 1.300. so ends steering N W

Lat. 17.20. S Long. 1 00 E

Friday April .7. th

strong winds and overcast steering N W middle and latter parts strong wind and over cast bark on different tacks

Lat. 16.50. S Long. 00. 10. E

Satterday April . 8. th

begins strong winds and fine headding N.E. middle and latter parts mordrate winds and fine steering all ways saw nothing but the Falcon

Lat. 15.40. S Long. 00. 16. E

Sunday April . 9. th

this day begins fine and clear steering differ coarses middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 15. 50. S. Long. 00. 08. W

Monday April . 10. th

this day begins with light winds from S W and fine cruising nothing in sight but Falcon middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 16.16. S Long. 1. 03. W

Tuesday April . 11. th

this day begins with strong winds and fine spoke Falcon middle and latter parts the same steering to N W

Lat. 16.50. S Long. 2. 32. W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Wednesday April 12th
this day begins strong winds and overcast steering to N W nothing in sight but Falcon middle and latter parts the same
Lat 16.16 S Long 4.05 W

Thursday April 13th
this day mordrate trades and fine steering to W, N W the Falcon in sight saw Killers middle and latter parts the same at 8 A M saw the Island of St Helena so ends
Lat 16.16 S Long 5° 07 W

Friday April 14th
Strong trades and fine bark on different tacks the island bearing N distant 15 miles Middle and latter parts the same cruising to S E of Island
Lat 16.12 S Long 5.20 W

Satterday April 15th
mordrate winds and fine nothing in sight but the land middle and latter parts the same saw Porpois struck and drew
Lat 16,10 S Long 5.16 W

Sunday April 16th
Strong trades and overcast cruising saw the land Middle and latter parts the same
Lat 15.55 S Long 5.10 W

Monday April 17th
strong and fine nothing in sight but land Middle part the same latter part off and on St Helena at 9 A M the captain went on shore so ends
~~Long~~

St Helena

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of Newbedford. S. T.m Braley. Master

Tuesday April 18th

begins strong trades off and on at 4 P.M. the captain came on board and steered N. W. middle and latter parts the same employed repairing sails. so ends this day

Lat. 14.54 S — Long. 6.42 W

Wednesday April 19th

begins with light trades and fine steering N. W. and W. N. W. employed repairing sails middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 13.16 S — Long. 8.08 W

Thursday April 20th

Mordrate trades and fine steering W by S employed repairing sails middle and latter parts much the same

Lat. 12.04 S — Long. 10.53 W

Friday April 21st

wind S.E. strong and clear employed repairing sails steering N W middle and latter parts the same two men sick

Lat. 10.52 S — Long. 11.09 W

Satterday April 22d

Mordrate trades and fine steering N W middle and latter parts the same at 8 A.M. saw sperm whales struck 3 starboard boat drew waist boat parted line out of 3 saved one so ends

Sperm Whale

Lat. 9.56 — Long. 12.12 W

Sunday April 23d

Mordrate S.E. winds and fine cut in the whale and set the watch one the tack middle and latter parts the same on different tacks

Lat. 9.55 S — Long. 12.11 W

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin

Monday April 24th

this day mordrate trades saw Blackfish did not lowr Middle and latter parts strong winds and rugged Steering to N E and Boiling one Sick man gaining the other no better so ends this day

Lat„ 10.06. S Long„ 12„ 27. W

Tuesday April, 25th

this day begins with strong winds and heavy Sea Steering to N E one reef in the fore and main topsails at 6 P M took in Spanker and Jib Boiling Middle and latter part mordrate gale at 4 A M finished Boiling ends Steering N one reef in topsail

Lat 9„ 08. S. Long„ 12„ 53„ W

Wednesday April „26th

begins with a gale from S E Steering N the sick men much the same middle part by the wind latter part steering N.

Lat„ 7.42. S Long„ 13„ 19. W

Thursday April .27th

this day begins Strong winds and overcast from S E Steering N two reefs topsails one of the sick men gainning the other not Middle part the same latter more mordrate hole topsails and main top gallant sail emplayed breaking out provisions

Lat„ 6. 06. S Long„ 14. 18. W

Friday April „28th

Strong trades and overcast repairing Fore sail on the house Steering N W. middle and latter parts the same emplayed repairing sails

Lat„ 5„ 52. S Long„ 16„54. W

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of Newbedford S. T. Braley Master

Satterday April 29th

this day begins with strong trades and clear stearing N.W. employed repairing sails one of the sick men gaining the other no better the captain gave mee 4 lbs of Beeswax for ship use Middle and latter parts mordrate employed repairing sails so ends this day

Lat 5.00 S Long 18.46 W

Sunday April 30th

begins with mordrate trads steering to N.W. employed repairing sails at 6 P.M. steering N. Middle and latter parts the same with some rain so ends

Lat 3.16 S Long 19.58 W

Monday May 1st

wind S.E. mordrate steering N.N.E. all sail set Middle part the same latter part steering N. by E. employed stowing down oil so ends this day

Lat 1.20 S Long 20.41 W

Tuesday May 2d

winds S.E. light and overcast som rain steering N. by E. all sail set Middle part much the same ends with strong trades and some rain one sick man on duty

Lat 00 30 N Long 20.33 W

Wednesday May 3d

wind S.E. strong and overcast steering N.N.E. all sail set Middle part the same ends with strong trades and rain steering N.N.E. at 11 A.M. wind hauled to E.N.E. so ends this day rainey

Lat Long

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Thursday May 4 th

this day winds E, N E and rainey headding to N W all sail set Middle and latter part light variable winds from E to S W and thick and rainy steering N N E no observation so end this day

Friday May 5 th

winds variable from E to S and thick and raing steering to N Middle and latter much the same one sail in sight steering northwards so ends this day

Lat 14. 40 N — Long 20. 43 W

Satterday May 6 th

this day begins calm and overcast no rain saw Blackfish got one the sick gaining slowly Middle and latter part light variable winds headding to N N W ends overcast

Sunday May 7 th

this day wind N E light at 3 PM squall from S E with rain steering N middle and latter parts light N E saw Blackfish two

Lat 16. 00 N — Long 21. 30 W

Monday May 8 th

wind E N E light on N tack two sails steering to south middle part the same latter part calm Boiling Blackfish one sail in sight headding south

Lat 16. 10 N — Long 21. 45 W

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of. Newbedford.. S.. T.. Braley.. Master

Tuesday May .9.. th
wind, N.E, and light and overcast finished Boiling middle and latter part wind N.N.E. and overcast headding northward
Lat.6.46.. N. Long.. 23. 04 W

Wednesday May.. 10. th
wind light from ..N.N.E and overcast headding to northward with all sail set Middle and latter part the same
Lat.7..20.. N. Long. 24.40. W

Thursday May ..11.. th
wind ..N.N.. E.. and overcast steering to north with all sail set saw Blackfish plenty but did not lower for them Middle and latter part wind ..N.E. light
Lat..8.16. N. Long 26. 16. W

Friday May .12.. th
wind, N.E, light and overcast headding to N.W. all sail set Middle and latter part much the same the sick man better
Lat.. 9.. 56. N. Long.. 27. 46. W.

Satterday May .13 th
wind.. N.E. and clear steering.. N.N.W all sail set ends the same
Lat.11.34.. N Long.. 29.18. W

Sunday May .14. th
wind ..N.E. mordrate and clear employ in ships duty steering ..N.N.. W all sail set middle and latter part strong and overcast one sail in sight bound northward
Lat 13 28 N. Long.. 30 .50.. W

Remarks,, On,, Board, Bark,, B,, Franklin

Monday May. 15. th

winds N.E., strong and overcast steering N.N., W. all prudent sail set Middle and latter parts the same at 10., A.M. saw whales lowered two boats without success whales saw the ship went to wind

Lat,,15.20.. N Long,, 32 00 W

Sperm Whales

Tuesday May,, 16,, th

wind, N E, and overcast a perfect gall at 2, P.M. boats returned to the ship took in Fore topsail having parted foot rope steering N.N., E. one reef in main topsail foresail mainsail jib and spank Middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 16.20,, N. Long,, 34.38,, W

Wednesday May, 17. th

mordrate gale from,, N.E., and over cast steering,, N, by,, W. one reef in the main and Fore topsail furled Middle and latter parts the same

Lat,, 19,, 14, N Long, 35. 52. W

Thursday May, 18. th

Strong wind and fine steering N, by, W Middle and latter parts the same

Lat 21. 26. N. Long,, 37. 7. W

Friday May ,,19,, th

strong N.E. trades and clear steering N, by, W. with Foretopsail furled Middle and latter parts the same

Lat, 22,56, N Long, 38, 08. W

Of New-bedford S. T. Braley Master AD. 1865

Satterday May 20th
wind, N.E, strong and squalley steering, N.ly
nothing in sight Middle and latter parts
Much the same repaired Foretopsail and
and set it with one reef in it so ends
Lat. 24.36. N. Long. 39. 51. W.

Sunday May 21st
wind N Ea moderate and clear with some
squalls Middle part the same latter part
wind E and squalley headding N E
Lat. 26.30. N. Long. 40.17. W

Monday May 22d
strong winds from E.N.E. and overcast
headding to N. Middle and latter parts
light airs and fine headding to N.E.
repaired Flying Jib
Lat. 28.24. N. Long. 40. 50. W

Tuesday May 23d
wind light from E.N.E. and fine
steering to N.E. Middle and latter steering
N.N.E. ends fine and clear
Lat. 29.36. N. Long. 40. 49. W

Wednesday May 24th
wind, E.N.E. light and fine nothing
in sight the sick man no better Middle
and latter parts light airs from E. and
fine headding to N. three sails in sight
Lat. 30.38. N Long. 40 51 W

Thursday May 25th
calm and clear middle part light air
from E. headding to North employed
in ships duty so ends this day
Lat. 31.10. N Long. 41.36 W

Remarks On Board Bark R. Franklin

Friday May 26th

calm and clear employed fitting rigging three sail in sight headding to N.W. Middle part the same latter part wind S.S.W. and overcast Steering N.N.E. employed fitting rigging saw Blackfish without success

Lat 31.30 N. Long 41.40 W

Satterday May 27th

wind S.S.W. and overcast Steering N.E. at 7 P.M. took in light sails and set Boats crew watches Middle and latter parts strong wind and overcast Steering E. N.E. So ends this day

Lat 33.26 N. Long 40.31 W

Sunday May 28th

Strong wind from N.W. and overcast steering N.E. Middle and latter parts the same saw finbacks

Lat 34.26 N. Long 39.11 W

Monday May 29th

strong wind from N. and rugged steering to E. light sails in Middle and latter parts the same so ends

Lat 34.46 Long 37.30 W

Tuesday May 30th

strong wind and overcast headding to E. Middle part the same ends strong and clear one sail in sight the sick man worse spitting Blood

Lat 35.05 N. Long 35.36 W

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of New bedford, S. J. Bealey, Master

Wednesday May 31st
winds Strong from N. and clear Steering to N. E. light sails in Middle part light airs and calm bark on different tacks,
Lat, 35. 14. N. Long. 36. 51, W

Thursday June 1. st
winds light and clear Spok a Portugear brig. 53. day from Rio. bound to Fayal Sold him one Bbls. of Beef middle part calm latter part light winds from W. Steering N. E. all sail set caught Porpois
Lat. 36. 15. N. Long. 34. 12. W

Friday June. 2. d
wind W. strong and hazy Steering N. N. E. at 7. P. M. took in light sails a reef the topsails Middl. part, the sam with rain ends the same the sick man no better
no observation

Satterday June 3. d
winds W. Strong and ragged bark by the wind to N. under short sail thick and rainey two reefs in the topsails Middle and latter parts the same ends gale
Lat. 38. 34. N. Long. 34. 55. W

Sunday June 4. th
begins with a gale from W. S. W. bark on S. tack Middle part the same latter part more mordrate set foresail mainsail and Jib Steering E
Lat 38. 28. N. Long. 32. 53. W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Monday June 5th

wind strong from S.S.W. and thick steering S.E. by E. at 7 P.M. took in jib and mainsail Middle and latter parts strong winds thick and raining

Tuesday June 6th

Strong winds and rainy from S.S.W. bark on E. tack middle and latter parts moderate and clear wind W.S.W. steering E.S.E. saw Flores bearing N. distant 35 miles

Lat 38.42 N. Long 30.15 W

Wednesday June 7th

light winds from W.S.W. and clear steering N.E. by E. saw Blackfish got two middle part the same latter part light winds from S.S.E.

Lat 38.35 N. Long 29.4 W

Thursday June 8th

wind light from S.S.E. and clear bark on different tacks working up to the Island it being distant 14 miles middle part the same latter part lying of and on Fayal Discharged Frank Sylvia Sick

Friday June 9th

wind light and variable from S.W. to S.E. and rainy lying of and on the captain com on board at sunset with some cabbages and onions middle and latter parts light airs and calm the boat on shore at 11.30 A.M. came on board with beans meal cabbages twine and a oak Plank to repair Larboard quarter Davy and returned on shore again

Sold 175 Gallons Blackfish oil 31 cents Per gallon
off and on of Fayal

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of. Newbedford„ J. J. Braley„ Master

Satterday June 10. th.

this day begins with light winds from„ N„ W and overcast at. 2„ P.M. the Lanch came along side with 6. Bbls„ of meat, 1. Pipe of Bread and Potatoes and onions„ at. 5. P.M. began squalley and rainey at. 8. 30. P.M. the Boat came on Board the captain being detained on acount of a native being absent over his time Middle part rainey and thick and strong winds at. 8. A.M. the boat went on Shore for the captain and brought on board a load of wod and returned on Shore again at. 11. the captain came on board with the absent man and Steered„ N„ E„ wind light from„ S W

Sunday June 11. th

wind, W. S. W. and squalley with rain passed St george and steered more to E Middle part light airs and rainey latter part Strong S W. wind heading to eastward Tercera in sight

Lat. 39. 00. N. Long. 26. 41.. W.

Monday June 12. th

this day begins with light winds from„ W„ S W Steering eastward all sail set Middle and latter parts the same steering„ S E„ all sail set Saw finbacks and porpoises, s employed repairing Larboard Davy

Lat„ 38. 48. N Long„ 24.. 44.. W

Tuesday June 13. th.

wind„ W„ S W„ and clear Steering S E„ all sail set Middle part the same latter part wind W. light and fine Set Fore topmast Steeringsail Steering„ S E„

Lat„ 38. 40. N. Long 22. 46. W

Remarks. On. Board. Bark. B. Franklin

Wednesday June. 14. th

this day begins fine wind. W. steering S.E. at 4. P.M. wind N.W. and raining Midd part the same latter part wind from N. to N.E. and clear steering S.E. by E.

Lat. 38.14. N. Long. 20. 47. W

Thursday June, 15, th

this day begins fine from N. and clear Steering S.E. by E. all sail set Middle and latter parts much the same

Lat. 37, 56. N. Long. 19.15 W,
19.15

Friday June .16. th

this day begins with light variable winds from N. to N.E. steering S.E. all drawing sail set Middle part the same latter calm and clear two sails in sight

Lat. 38. 00. N. Long. 17.41. W

Satterday June .17. th

begins calm at 4. P.M. light airs from N and overcast Steering E.S.E. all sail set Midd and latter parts the same several sail in sight

Lat. 37, 40. N Long. 15.53. W

Sunday June .18. th

begins with light wind from W. and squalls Steering E.S.E. with all drawing sail set middle and latter parts much the same

Lat. 37. 28. N. Long 13. 49. W

Monday June .19. th

wind N. and overcast Steering E.S.E. all drawing sail set several sail in sigh Middle and latter parts the same

Lat. 36.58. N. Long. 10. 48. W

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of„ Newbedford„ S„ T„ Braley„ master

Tuesday June„ 20th
wind N„ and overcast Steering„ E S E„ all sail set caught a Porpois Middle and latter parts the same several sails in sight steering the same
Lat 36.30„ N Long„ 8„29„ W

Wednesday June 21st
Mordrate wind from „NW„ and hazy Steering, E S E„ all sail set at sunset took in Steering sail light sails and courses Steering, S E„ middle part calm latter part light wind from E„ nothing in sight but merchantman so ends this day
Lat„ 35.50„ N Long„ 7.32„ W

Saw the land

Thursday June„ 22d
wind „N N E„ and clear saw porpoises bark on E„ tack cruising Middle and latter parts the same so ends
Lat„ 35.20„ N Long 6„ 53„ W

Friday June„ 23d
Mordrate winds and fine cruising saw finbacks the land in sight Middle and latter parts calm and foggy so end this day
Lat„ 35„06„ N Long„ 6„ 57„ W

Satterday June„ 24„th
Mordrate winds from „N N„ E„ and fine bark on different tacks land in sight Middle and latter parts the same bark on different tacks plenty sails in sight and the land„ Antone Sylvia off duty with the venerial
Lat„ 35„38„ N Long„ 6„ 38„ W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Sunday June 25th
begins strong winds and hazy bark on different tacks saw Porpoises land and sail, Middle and latter parts the same saw a strange saial to windward
Lat. 35.50. N. Long. 6. 26. W

Monday June 26th
Strong winds from E. and hazy, bark on different tacks under short sail the Straights distant 20. miles Middle and latter parts the same at 8. A.M. Jib Stay parted at the masthead took a cutting guy for another at 12. set the Jib again
Lat. 35.48. N. Long. 6. 37. W

Tuesday June 27th
Strong easterly winds and hazy bark on different tacks Middle and latter parts light variable winds and hazy Steering to Westward employed fitting rigging
Lat. 35.48. N. Long. 6. 37. W

Sperm Whales

Wednesday June 28th
light airs from N E. and hazy Steering to westward at 3. 30. P.M. saw sperm whales lowered Struck two large whales one line parted afterwards struck one small one and saved him and one big one at 9. P.M. took them along side and set the watch Middle part the same latter part employed cutting in

Thursday June .29. th
light wind, and fine from W finished the large whales head and took it in and started the fire Middle and latter parts the same emplayed Boiling and clearing the decks sa and,
Lat 36.08. N. Long.

Friday June 30. th
this day light winds from N.E. and fine emplayed cutting and Boiling at 4. P.M finished cutting Middle and latter parts fine bark on different tacks Boiling
Lat. 35. 38. N. Long. 6. 34. W

Satterday July 1. st
light wind, and fine from N.N.W. bark on different tacks Boiling land in sight and finbacks emplayed boiling an Stoeing down oil Middle and latter parts light airs and calm Boiling saw finbacks
Lat 34. 22. N. Long.

Sunday July. 2. d
light air, and calm bark on different tacks, saw the land Middle part the same latter part wind from W. Steering to N.E.
Lat. 35. 10. N Long. 6. 45. W

Monday July 3. d
wind west Steering to N.E. at 7. finished boiling Middle and latter part much the same emplayed in ships duty
Lat. 35. 35. N. Long. 6.41. W

Tuesday July. 4. th
light winds and calm Middle and latter parts the same Stoeing down oil
Lat. 35. 34. N. Long. 6. 33. W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Wednesday July 5. th
light winds and fine bark on different tacks stoving down oil land in sight Middle and latter parts the same emplayed in ships duty so ends
Lat. 35. 24. N. Long. 6. 53. W

Thursday July. 6. th
light winds and fine nothing in sight middle and latter parts Much the same with some fog so ends the day
Lat. 35. 36. N. Long. 6. 25. W

Friday July. 7. th
light winds and hazy land in sight emplay in ships duty Middle and latter parts light airs and calms so ends this day
Lat. 35. 28. N. Long. 6. 47 W

Satterday July 8. th
Mordrate winds from W. nothing in sight emplayed in ships duty middle and latter parts the same land in sight
Lat. 35. 36. N. Long. 6. 25. W

Sunday July 9. th
light winds and calm fine weather middle and latter parts calm
Lat. 35. 40. N. Long. 7. 16. W

Monday July. 10. th
Mordrate wind from W. bark on different tacks saw porpoises caught one Middle and latter parts light airs and fine nothing in sight emplayed in ships duty Antone Still off duty
Lat. 35. 30 N. Long. 6. 29. W

Of New Bedford S. T. Braley Master A.D. 1865

Tuesday July 11th
begins light airs and fine bark on different tacks land in sight middle part the same latter part calm employed in ships duty
Lat. 35. 42. N. Long. 6. 34. W

Wednesday July 12th
begins light and fine from N.W. land in sight middle and latter parts the same the watch employed in ships duty
Lat. 35. 34. N Long. 6. 44. W

Thursday July 13th
mordrate wind from N.W. and fine nothing in sight middle and latter parts the same employed fitting rigging
Lat 35. 40. N Long. 6. 27. W

Friday July 14th
begins strong wind from E. reefs in topsail, and heavy sea at 5 P.M. calm middle and latter parts light airs and fine employed fitting rigging
Lat. 35. 36. N Long. 6. 41. W

Satterday July 15th
light airs and fine rigging all fitted and tared down ready for rattling employed repairing comping of main Hatch middle and latter parts calm
Lat. 35. 30. N Long. 6. 43. W

Sunday July 16th
mordrate winds and fine employed in ships duty middle and latter parts calm nothing in sight
Lat. 35. 32. N Long. 6. 37. W

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ B„ Franklin

Monday .... July„ 17 th

begens mordrate winds and fine nothing in sight but Merchant ships Middle and latter parts the same employed in ships duty rattling down rigging

Lat 35.31„ N Long„ 6.15 W

Tuesday July 18 th

mordrate winds and fine employed in ships duty middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight

Lat 35.10„ N Long„ 7.23 W

Wednesday July„ 19„ th

Mordrate wind from W and fine bark on N tack watch employed in ships duty Middle and latter parts the same employed Painting„ masts and yards„ and other small jobs

Lat 35.20 N Long 7.26 W

Thursday July 20 th

fresh winds from W and fine employed Painting spars middle and latter parts Strong winds and clear bark on W tack saw porpoises

Lat„ 36„ 46„ N Long„ 6. 58 W

Friday July„ 21 st

Strong wind from W and rugged saw the land at 7 Bells tack off shore land bearing„ N distant 20„ miles middle and latter parts light winds from N N W bark on W tack ends calm nine sail and steamers in sight

Lat 36.44, N Long 7.41 W

Satterday July 22

begins fresh breeze from W bark on N tack at 6 P.M. tack of shore the light of cape St Marys bearing N by E distant 10 miles took in light sail on S tack middle and latter parts mordrate wind from N N W bark on W tack nothing in sight but land and steamers so ends

Lat 36 42 N Long 8 41 W

Sunday July 23

winds strong from N N W bark on different tacks nothing in sight but land and ships George seaman spitting blood and of duty Anton Oliver on duty again middle and latter parts wind the same bark on W tack at 5 P.M. cape St Vincens bearing N E by E dist 15 Miles ends heading N W by W all sail set and strong wind several sail in sight

Lat 36 45 N Long 10 14 W

Monday July 24th

strong wind from N N W and clear heading N W by W with all sail set standing sea watches several sail in sight middle and latter parts mordrate gale from N N E heading N W by N all prudent sail set

Lat 37 00 N Long 12 35 W

Tuesday July 25th

gale from N N E heading N W by N one reef in the topsails middle and latter parts the same split the Foresail ends strong wind and heavy sea steering N W

Lat 37 36 N Long 14 46 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Wednesday July 26th
wind N.E. mordrate gale and clear
Steering N.W. all prudent sail set
Middle and latter parts much the same
Steering N.W. by N. so ends
Lat 38.18 N. — Long 18.10 W

Thursday July 27th
wind Strong from N.E. and overcast
Steering N.W. by W. 1/2 W. all prudent
sail set Middle and latter parts the same
Lat 38.26 N. — Long 22.10 W

Friday July 28th
wind Strong from N.E. Steering N.W. by
W. 1/2 W. all sail set Middle and latter
parts the same with some rain at 7 A.M.
saw the Island of St Michaels so ends
Lat 38.24 N. — Long 25.40 W

Satterday July 29th
wind N.E. and rainy overcast and
mordrate Steering W. N.W. bent new
Foresail at 7 took in light sails Steering
N.W. winds mordrate middle part
the same at 5 A.M. saw Tercera bearing
W. distant 12 miles bark headding
to N.W.
Lat 38.57 N. — Long 27.11 W

Sunday July 30th
wind N.E. light Steering different cours
at 7 P.M. Steering to N. took in all sail
Middle and latter parts Steering for
Fayal at 9 the captain went on
Shore ends lying of and on

of New bedford, S. T. Braley, master A.D. 1865

Monday July 31st
wind N.E. moderate of and on Fayal
at 5 P.M. the captain came on board
and Steered W. b N. all sail set
middle and latter part, the same employed
in ships duty so end this day
Lat. ~~38.57~~ 38.22 N. Long. ~~27~~ 29.52 W

Tuesday August 1st
light winds from E. to N.E. bark heading
to W. b W. employed in ships duty lowered
for Grampuses without success Middle
and latter parts the same saw grampuses
Lat. 38.02 N. Long. 31.47 W

Wednesday August 2d
winds light from N.E. and fine Steering
W. b W. Middle part the same latter part
Strong wind and overcast saw something
we called whales lowered for them but
they proved to bee Grampuses so end.
Lat. 37.44 N. Long. 33.57 W

Thursday August 3d
Strong winds from N.E. and overcast
Steering N.W. W. middle and latter parts
Much the same Steering W.
Lat. 37.00 N. Long. 36.45 W

Friday August 4th
this day moderate wind from S.S.E.
and overcast Steering W. all sail set at
7 P.M. took in light sails middle part
the same latter part Strong wind
from S. to W. bark on N. tack nothing
to bee seen so ends this day
Lat. 36.48 N. Long. 39.03 W

Remarks On Board Bark R. Franklin

Satterday August 5th

wind W. mordrate and overcast headding N W. nothing in sight middle part wind N. at 6 A M. tack to W. ends headding N W light and clear all sail set

Lat 37.09 N. Long 40.38 W

Sunday August 6th

wind N. E. light and fine bark headding N W. nothing in sight middle and latter parts light airs and fine headding N W

Lat 37.24 N. Long 41.12 W

Monday August 7th

begin calm and clear saw grampus middle and latter parts light airs and fine headding to N W. employed Painting ship

Lat 38.00 N. Long 40.43 W

Teusday August 8th

wind light and fine headding to N W. employed Painting saw nothing middle and latter parts the same Painting

Lat 38.56 N Long 41.05 W

Wednesday August 9th

Sperm Whale

begin mordrate winds from S W. and clear employed Painting saw a Steamer and other merchantman at 5 P.M. saw a lone whale going quick to S E. lowered without success at 8 took up the boats and steered S E. wind light middle parts the same latter part by the wind to eastward employed Painting at 10 A M. saw breaches to windward end calm

Lat 38.56 N. Long 40.45 W

of Newbedford,, S,, T,, Braley,, master   A.D. 1865

Sperm Whale

Thursday   August, 10,, W

begins calm employed painting, 30,, minuits past,,12, saw Sperm Whales 7. miles off at 1. lowered the boats struck one and towed him to ship at 8, took him along side and set the the watch one whale missed Middle part light airs and calm latter part much the same employed cutting

Lat,,38,,46. N.   Long,, ~~39. 37.~~ W
40 11

Friday   August ,,11. th

light airs and fine at 4,, 30,, P.M. finished cutting, at,,7, started the fire bark on W,, tack Middle and latter parts Much the same saw a Bark steering eastward ends fine Boiling saw grampuses

Lat,,38.47. N.   Long,,40,,45. W

Satturday   August, 12, th

begins fine and clear from N, bark on W,, tack Boiling Middle part light airs and calm heading N.E,, latter part mordrate winds and fine steering to,, W,, all sail set

Lat,,38. 48. N. Long,,41,,38. W

Sunday   August 13. th

begins mordrate winds and fine steering to W, with all sail set boiling at,,10,, P.M,, finished boiling ends strong breeze from S.W, employed stoving down oil

Lat,,39,,30,, N Long,,43,,39. W

Monday   August,,14,, th

begins with mordrate gale from S.W, and overcast bark on W,, tack finished stoving oil and washed ship and close reef the topsails, middle and latter parts the same

Lat,,40 20. N Long,,45. 13. W

Remarks" On" Board" Bark" B" Franklin

Tuesday August 15th
Strong wind from W S W and overcast headed N W close reef topsail and jib one sail in sight Middle part thick latter part more mordrate wind W N W bark on different tacks set mainsail and hole maintopsail
Lat 40.30 N Long 45.31 W

Wednesday August 16th
Mordrate wind from W N W with passing clouds bark on different tacks heavy swell from N W Middle and latter parts the same nothing in sight so ends this day
Lat 39.56 N Long 45.32 W

Thursday August 17th
begins light airs and calm nothing in sight Middle and latter parts much the same headding to W N W all sail set
Lat 39.46 N Long 45.58 W

Friday August 18th
light airs and fine from N Steering W N W all sail set two sails in sight Middle and latter parts much the same wind from S E emplayed repairing mainsail
Lat 39.46 Long 47.10 W

Satterday August 19th
begins mordrate winds from S E to S and overcast Steering W finished and bent the mainsail Mr Wilson sick Middle part the same with some rain latter part winds from S to W light and overcast bark on differ tacks all sail set light squalls of rain
Lat 39.04 N Long 47.50 W

Sperm Whales

Sunday August 20th

wind light from W. to N. and overcast steering W. with all sail set standing sea watches Mr Willson on duty middle part wind N E. at 7 A.M. saw whales lowered for them but they saw the boats and went the windward boats chased till lost sight of them then came on board ends rainy and thick steering to westward no observation

Monday August 21st

begins thick and rainey from S E. at 4 P.M. wind hauled to N E. and over cast steering W by N. middle part the same latter part gale from S E. and rain steering W. N W.

Lat 38.21 N. Long. 50.50 W

Tuesday August 22nd

wind S E. gale and heavy sea steering W by N. at 3 P.M. wind N E. and more mordrate middle part the same latter part wind S.W. light with plenty of rain ends light airs from W. and calm bark on different tacks one sail in sight headding eastward.

Lat 38.10 N. Long 51.36 W

Wednesday August 23rd

begins with light airs from W. to S. headding to westward with all sail set middle part thick with plenty lightning and rain light sails in ends clear with strong winds from S W. bark on W. tack several sail in sight

Lat 38.56 N. Long 52.42 W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Thursday August 24th
begins with strong wind from S.W. and smoky headding N.W. with light sails in Saw several sails bound to eastward Middle and latter part the same Mordrate gale from S.W. so ends
Lat 38.52 N. Long 54.11 W

Friday August 25th
Strong gale from S.W. bark on W. tack at 4 P.M. took in Jib and mainsail and bent main Staysail pumping 150 Strokes an hour heavy sea running Middle part thick and rainey the gale increasing took in foretopsail and foresail at 3 A.M. set foresail it being more mordrate at 7 the wind hauled to N. set foretopsail and Jib at 8 A.M. had a heavy Squall with rain took in Jib foresail and foretopsail end mordrate from N. set foresail Jib foretopsail so ends
Lat 39.55 N. Long 55.49 W

Satterday August 26th
begins mordrate from N. Steering W. with all sail set employed bending mee Spanker saw a ship headding to eastward Middle part the same latter part light airs from N. to E. Steering W
Lat 38.58 N. Long 56.19 W

Sunday August 27th
light airs from E and clear employed repairing and bending Fore topsail and main topgallant sail Steering W. Middle and latter variable wind from E. to S.W. bark on W. tack all sail set ends clear
Lat 38.20 N. Chron Long 56.57 W

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A.D. 18.65

of New bedford„ S„ T„ Braley„ Master

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Monday August„ 28th

wind„ W„ S W„ light and clear headding„ N W with all sail set one sail bound eastward Middle part the same latter part wind„ W„ Mordrate gale and heavy sea so end,

Lat„ 38„ 37„ N Long„ 58. 04. W

Tuesday August„ 29„ th

begins with mordrate gale from„ W„ bark on N„ tack at 4. P.M. dubble reef topsail furled the mainsail and wore ship to S„ Middle and latter parts more mordrate from„ W„ S W„ bark on different tacks employed repairing Fore topgallant sail

Lat„ 58„ 25„ N Long„ 58„ 25„ W
38–05

Wednesday August„ 30„ th

mordrate winds from„ W„ S W„ bark headding N W„ employed in shipsduty at„ 6. P.M„ took in light sails Middle and latter parts light variable winds from„ W„ S W„ to„ W„ N W. bark on different tacks rainy

Lat„ 36.50„ N Long„ 58.27„ W

Thursday August„ 31„ th

begins mordrate from„ W„ N W„ and heavy sea at„ 4„ P.M. had a squall of rain from N, the wind north and light set all sail steering W„ by„ S„ Middle and latter parts strong winds and overcast steering W„ by N„ all drawing sail set at„ 10„ A M„ wind„ N„ N„ E„ so ends

Lat„ 37. 00„ N Long„ 61.35„ W

Remarks On Board Bark B. Franklin

Friday September 1.st
winds N.W. E. mordrate and overcast
steering W. by N. with all drawing sails
set Middle and latter parts the same
emplayed mending Painted end calm
Lat. 36. 50. N. Long. 62. 48. W.

Satterday September 2.d
calm finished painting clear and fine
middle part light winds from W.S.W. bark
headding to N.W. end the same with
strong winds and overcast
Lat. 37. 34. N. Long. 63. 44. W.

Sunday September 3.d
Strong winds and rugged from W.S.W.
bark headding N.W. light sails in
middle part strong winds and squally
bark on different tacks plenty of rain
latter part strong and squalls from
W. bark headding W.S.W.
Lat. 37. 00. N. Long. 63. 35. W.

Monday September 4.th
mordrate winds from W. and overcast
headding S.S.W. all sail set middle and
latter part the same head winds and rain
Lat. 35. 40. N. Long. 63. 43. W.

Tuesday September 5.th
Mordrate winds from W. to W.S.W. bark
on N. tack at 4. P.M. wind W. bark on S.
tack, Middle and latter parts much
the same emplayed making Main
Royal from the old fore topsail
saw a steammer steering to E. to
day started the last cask of Bread
Lat. 35. 20 N. Long. 63. 56. W.

of New bedford S. T. Braley master A. 1865

Wednesday September 6th
this day begins light air from W.S.W. headding N.W. finished and bent main royal Middle and latter part the sam
Lat. 36.40. N. Long. 65. 42. W

Thursday September 7th
Strong wind from W.S.W. headding N.W. with all sail set Middle part continualy Squally plenty of rain thunder and lightning end much the same
Lat. 38.15. N. Long. 67. 01. W

Friday September 8th
this day begins with mordrate wind from W.S.W. to N.W. tack to W. all sail set mordrate and overcast Middle and latter part light airs and clear from N.W. back on W. tack so ends this day
Lat. 37.50. N. Long. 67.22. W

Satterday September 9th
light winds from N. and hazy headding W.N.W. with all sail set Middle part light baffleing winds from N. to E. and back to N.E. latter part wind strong from N.E. and rainey steering N.W. by W. Spoke the Ship Maryann of St. Petersburg 3. days from New york Long. 68.30.

Sunday September 10th
strong N.E. winds and rain steering N.W. by W. at 3. 30. P.M. crossed the northern edg of the stream Middle part the same end mordrate and overcast several sail in sight
Lat. 40.42. N Long. 70. 58. W

Remarks„ On„ Board„ Bark„ Benj„ Franklin

Monday. September„ 11„ th

this day begins moderate from S.E. and overcast Steering N. all sail set at 7„ P.M. hove the lead in 40 fathoms got Black and White Sand braced forward Steering W. Middle and latter part the same at 12 middle got 25 fathoms bark on different tacks at 7 A.M. saw the land which proved to bee Block island bearing N.E. distant 20 miles ends Steering for the bay

Tuesday September 12

light winds from S. and overcast at 3 took Pilot from Cuttyhunk point Anchored at 5 P.M. So ends the voyage

Beef and Pork

1865			
Jan	11	Barrel, Pork	
Jan	18	Barrel, Beef	
Jan	15	Barrel, Pork	
Jan	31	cask, Beef	
Febuary	19	Barrel, Pork	
March	2	cask Beef, 4 1/3	
March	14	Barrel Pork	
March	28	cask, Beef, 4 1/3	
April	3	Barrel Pork	
April	27	cask Beef 5/3	
April	27	Barrel Pork	
May	18	Barrel, Pork	
May	22	cask, Beef, 4	
June	2	cask, Pork, 4	
June	17	Barrel Beef	1.88=lbs
June	24	Barrel Beef	1.67=lbs
June	30	Barrel Beef	
July	9	Barrel Beef	
July	16	Barrel Beef	
July	25	Barrel Beef	1.75=lbs
August	1	Barrel Beef	
~~August~~	~~4~~	~~Pipe Bread~~	
August	12	Barrel Beef	
August	25	Barrel Beef	
August	25	Barrel Pork	

the last in the Ship

Bread and Flour

January	the 6	1865	cask of Bread
Febuary	the 6		cask of Bread
March	the 4		cask of Bread
March	the 18		cask of Flour
March	the 28		cask of Brea
April	the 27		cask of Brea
Mary	the 20		cask of Brea
June	the 4	Last	cask of home

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Juny	22	cask of Flour
July	2	cask of Bread
August	4	Pipe of Bread
September	5	cask of Bread

the last in the Ship

List, of, Beef and„ Pork, Started 18.63

18,63
May the 4, 1, Beef, Pork 1.
May the 12, 1. 1
21. 1. Beef —
31 — 1 — — — Pork 1.
June 16 — 1 = B — — Pork — 1 —
July 1. ~~1~~ B — — Pork — 1 —
10 — 1 — B — — —
12, — — — Pork — 1
24 — — — Pork
26 Started cask of Beef 4 — Blls
August, 3. — 1 — B. of Pork
August 14, Started cask of Pork 4½ Blls
October 3, Started cask of Pork 4½ Blls
September 14. Started cask of Beef 4. — Blls
October, 22, Started cask of Beef, 3½ Blls
November 16. Started cask Beef 4. — Blls
December 1. Started cask Pork 4½ Blls
December, 15, Started-cask Beef 4, Blls
18.64 January. 22, Started — cask Beef — 4 — Blls
January. 28. Started a Barrell of Pork
Febuary 12. Started a cask of Pork
March 1. Started a cask of Beef 4. Blls
April 4 Started, 1, Barrel of Beef
April 6 Started 1. Barrel of Beef
April „ 23 „ Started — a-cask — of Pork 4½
May „ 1. „ Started — a — cask = of „ Beef 4½
June „ 11 „ Started — a-cask — of „ Beef 3½
June „ 11 „ Started a-cask — of „ Pork „ 3.½
July „ 11 „ Started a-cask — of „ Beef „ 4½
August „ 17 „ Started — cask — — of „ Pork „ 4½
August „ 22 „ Started — cask — of „ Beef „ 4 „
September „ 7 „ Started — one — Barrel „ of „ Beef
October „ 11 „ Started „ a — cask of Beef 4 Blls
November 5. Started „ a „ Barrel of „ Pork
November, 7. Started „ a cask „ of „ Beef, 4½
November „ 28, Started bll of Pork
December, 18 „ Started cask of Beef

December, 21. Started a Barrel of Pork

List of Bread and Flour Star
on board Bark, B, Franklin of N, B

B May 4th, 1, Barrell
B May 11th, 1, Cask
~~Vinegar May, 15, Started cask of Vinegar~~
May, 23, Started cask of Flour, 1.15. Ga
B June, 12, Started cask of Bread
~~July, 16, Started 1st cask, of Molasses~~
July - 22 - Started cask of Flour
July - 22 - Started - cask - of - Bread - old
Sept - 6 - Started cask of Bread
September, 17, Started cask of Flour
October 10 - Started cask of Bread.
November, 19, 13 Started cask of Bread 171. gall
November, 27, Started cask of Flour
December, 24, Started - cask of Bread
1864 = January - 16 - Started cask of Flour
February, 17 - Started cask of Bread
March, 10, Started - cask of Flour
March - 18, Started - cask of, Bread
April " 20, Started - cask - of " Bread
May " 15 " Started, cask of " Flour
June " 10 " Started " cask " of " Bread
July " 15 " Started " cask " of " Bread
July " 19 " Started " cask " of " Flour
August " 18 " Started " cask " of " Bread
Septem, 23 " Started " cask " of " Bread
Sept " 25 " Started " cask " of " Flour
October " 19 " Started " cask " of " Bread
November 8, Started " cask " of " Bread
November 28. Started cask of Bread
December, 13. Started cask of Flour 3, Ol
December " 19, Started cask of Bread